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From the Country Gentleman.

A WIFE IS THE MAIN THING.

Oh! I'm a poor unlucky wight
As ever there was born, sir,
There's nothing in my house that's right,
'Tis lonely and forlorn, sir.
I've cash enough, and pay it well
To keep my house in order,
But ne'er can get a decent meal,
Though plentiful my larder;
'Tis overdone or underdone,
Perhaps not done at all, sir,
No man had ever such a home
In all this weary world, sir.

My coat is at the elbows out,
I ne'er can get it mended;
My shirts are scorched in ironing,
My vest to ribbons rended.
My stockings down unto the ground,
I ne'er can keep a garter,
And if they e'er get washed at all
It's sure in dirty water.
There's nothing done that should be done
And if it's done at all, sir,
It better never had been done;
Than done so very ill, sir.

Go, get ye a wife—the old man said;
Nor sit ye here complaining;
Of wedlock never be afraid,
A prudent wife's the main thing:
She'll keep your house, she'll mend your clothes,
And chat and sing the while, sir;
And when, at eve, you hasten home,
She'll meet you with a smile, sir;
And all that's done will be well done,
And done without complaining;
If e'er you'd have a pleasant home,
A wife—a wife's the main thing.

Jack quickly took the sage advice,
And woo'd a farmer's daughter,
And never did he rue the day
When home, a bride, he brought her,
His clothes are always clean and neat,
His house is like a palace;
His cooking, that a king might eat,
And do it with a relish.
And now he is a happy man,
He never goes complaining;
But with a joyous smile declares
A wife—a wife's the main thing.

A Blue Law in Pennsylvania.

On Saturday last, while hunting among the archives of the Senate for some ancient document wherewith to amuse ourselves during a heavy debate in that body upon the propriety of floating saw logs in some river, we accidentally stumbled upon a bound volume of the bills read in place in the House of Representatives at the session of 1812. Among the number was one for the prevention of vice and immorality, the first section of which after a short preamble on the impropriety of the day, read as follows:—"If any white female of ten years or upwards, shall at any time, after the first day of November next, appear in any public street, lane, highway, church, court-house, tavern, ball-room, theatre, or any other place of public resort, with naked shoulders, or, being able to purchase necessary clothing, shall at any time between the first day of November and the first day of April, appear in any fashionable place or places clothed with less than three bair garments, one whereof shall be woollen, silk or other substantial materials; every person so offending and being legally convicted before any Alderman or justice of the peace, in this Commonwealth, shall forfeit and pay a fine of not less than one nor more than one hundred dollars, to be recovered by action of debt, informant, or indictment, one-half thereof to the use of the informer, and the other half to the use of the poor of the borough, township or ward wherein the offence shall have been committed, * * * * and also be compelled to enter bail for her good behavior for the space of one year. * * *

Section 2d makes the parents or guardian liable for "knowingly permitting" children to disobey this law. The bill ends thus:—

"Provided always, That for the purpose of distinguishing between chaste and unchaste females, notorious bawds, common prostitutes, and females who have heretofore been convicted of the crime of fornication or adultery, shall be exempt from the above mentioned regulations, and penalties therein stated for the violation of the same"—[Harrisburg Telegraph.

A RUSSIAN RAILROAD.—Nicholas the First of Russia, had quite an original way of transacting business. He sent one day, for his engineers, and gave them eight days to bring him the route of a railroad to connect St. Petersburg with Moscow. At the end of the allotted time the plan was prepared.

"What," said he, looking at it—"What is this—this serpentine track? You have misunderstood."

"Sire," said the spokesman, "we have the shortest route which would embrace on the line the leading towns and villages."

"Give me a pencil and rule," he said, and he struck a bee-line from one city to another. "Here—you understand me."

"But, sire, you leave the largest towns entirely out of sight."

"That is their affair, let them come within sight."

And so the road was built as straight as an I.

☞ Why are country girls' cheeks like well printed cotton? Because they are warranted to wash and keep the color.

The United States and China.

From the tone of an article in the Washington Union, upon Chinese affairs, it is certain that our Government does not intend to be involved in trouble in China by co-operating with England and France in hostilities against that country. The Union says:

"It now remains for us to preserve for American commerce and American interests in China all the respect and privileges to which they are entitled, and whenever they are assailed, they will be defended, doubtless, with efficiency and promptitude. But, of course, the government of the United States will not make war upon any country unless it has itself an ample cause of war; and the mere fact that China is in conflict with some other nation furnishes no good reason why we should be in conflict with China. * * Our country has succeeded very well, thus far in its history, by minding its own business, and letting other people's business alone, and we are very strongly inclined to believe that this policy cannot be superceded by a better one. We go as far as he who goes farthest in our desire to maintain the honor of the stars and stripes and to defend the rights and interests of our countrymen in every part of the world; but whether we ought to assist in the controversies of other nations, and take care of other flags than our own, is a very different question."

Freezing to Death.

That to be frozen to death must be a frightful torture, many would consider certain, from their own experience of the effects of cold. But here we fall into the usual error of supposing that the suffering will increase with the energy of the agent which could only be the case if sensibility remained the same. Intense cold brings on speedy sleep, which fascinates the senses, and fairly beguiles men out of their lives. The most curious example of the seductive power of cold, is to be found in the adventures of the botanical party, who, in Cook's first voyage, were caught in a snow storm on Terra del Fuego. Dr. Solander, by birth a Swede, and well acquainted with the destructive deceits of a rigorous climate, admonished the company, in defiance of lassitude, to keep moving on. "Whoever," said he, "sits down will sleep—and whoever sleeps will perish." The doctor spoke as a sage, but he felt as a man. In spite of the remonstrances of those whom he had instructed and alarmed, he was the first to lie down and die.

The same warning was repeated a thousand times in the retreat from Moscow. Allison, the historian, to try the experiment, sat down in his garden at night, when the thermometer had fallen four degrees below zero, and so quickly did the drowsiness come stealing on, that he wondered how a soul of Napoleon's unhappy band had been able to resist the treacherous influence.

☞ An Ohio editor gives his views of several dances which he witnessed at the Inauguration Ball at Washington, thus:

"The want of variety in this Metropolitan dancing was, however, fully made up by the fancy flings, such as the Waltz and Polka.—These were absolutely barbarous. The old fashioned Waltz, the morality of which even Byron called in question, is here ignored as altogether too cold and distant. The lady here lays her head on the gentleman's bosom, puts one hand in his, and the other in his coat tail pocket, then resigns herself to his embraces and goes to sleep, all but her feet, which, when not carried by him clear off the floor, goes patting around on the tips of her toes. The gentleman, thus entwined, throws his head back, and his eyes up, like a dying calf; his body bent in the shape of a figure 4, he whirls, backs up, swings around, swoons, to all appearances, pushes forward, and leaves the ring to the great delight of all decent people."

EXCELLENT WHITEWASH.—The following receipt for making a whitewash that has become famous for its excellent properties, has been going the rounds of the papers for a long time. It is said to be as good for the outside of buildings as the inside, and houses washed with it look as clean and neat as when painted. The house cleaning season is at hand, and it would be judicious for some of our housewives to try it, and report the result of their experiment:—"Take clean lumps of well burnt lime, slackened. Add one-fourth pound whiting, or burnt alum pulverized, one pound of loaf sugar, three quarts of rice flour made into a thin and well-boiled paste, and one pound of the cleanest glue, dissolved as cabinet-makers do. This may be put on cold within doors, but hot outside. This will be as brilliant as plaster Paris, and retain its brilliancy for many years. The east end of the President's house, in Washington, is washed with it."—[Lancaster Whig.

☞ Judge Kane, in a recent letter, says of his son: "His characteristic with us was his sensibility to conscientious impulse. It was this which carried him the second time to the Polar Sea, and had God spared him, would have made him return there again; for he believed, as none but the true-hearted can believe anything, that some of Franklin's party were still alive, and that it was the mission of his life to reclaim them. He had a child-like fondness for the affections of home; but this, and zeal for science, and ambition for fame, and all else that could connect itself with motive, was subordinated to his one great conviction of duty."

☞ The loftiest, the most angel like ambition is the earnest desire to contribute to the rational happiness and moral improvement of others. If we can do this, if we can smooth the rugged path of one fellow-traveler, if we can give one impression, is it not better than the triumphs that fashion, wealth and power ever attained?

☞ The loss of property by shipwreck, during the past year, has been $25,000,000, two-thirds of which is said to have fallen upon the city of New York.

KANSAS.

The interest in Kansas affairs revives with the change which has taken place in the government.

Col. Jim Lane has gone back and suddenly made his appearance in Lawrence, although under ban of the law. The bogus agents of the legislature for census taking are more observed for their omission to enrol, than for their progress in enrolment of the citizens. Why do not the Free State men counterplot by making up carefully certified lists of all residents who fall within the requirements of the rascally scheme of law? That would be a sufficient check upon intended fraud, and could not fail to defeat a partist return.

The flow of immigrants continues in full force.

We make an extract from a letter of the 24th March, written at Lawrence, K. T., to the *Tribun*.

"The celebrated Col. Lane arrived in Lawrence last night. He came up the Missouri River in disguise. He came alone. No armed party entered with him, or has entered anywhere so far as I know of. His precise motive for coming I cannot guess. Of course, as a Kansas man, he has a right to come, and if the 'peace' is worth anything, that right should not be infringed.

"On the other hand, it is to be remembered that the Bogus and Pro Slavery Courts have a whole string of processes against him. I suppose he stands indicted for a variety of things connected with the war last August. He retired at once on the proclamation of Gov. Geary. Gov. Geary assured the Pro-Slavery men that he had no intention of recalling the errors of the past committed before his Administration. But the Pro-Slavery men have no intention of allowing the waters of *Lethe* to flow over the causes of indictment against Free State men. A large number of Free State men have been indicted for murder and other crimes by being concerned in that general warfare. Lane, of course, will not be exempt. His presence here was known at Lecompton this morning. He speaks in Lawrence to night. If the authorities send officers to arrest Lane, will he surrender himself? Would his friends allow him to fall into the hands of those in power, who would not scruple to murder him? Again, Secretary Woodson is acting Governor of the Territory. The Pro Slavery authorities can have full scope under his authority. All the lawless 'militia' experience rises up vividly. I have no desire to make a mountain of a mole-hill. I hope that the present generally peaceful relations may continue—but such are the facts.

"Last week, Pro-Slavery Kansas meetings were held in Lexington and Independence, Mo. I have been unable to get the proceedings, but have learned that they were as intensely Border Ruffian as ever. Sheriff Jones and several of the Lecompton villians are still at Westport and Kansas City.

"The bogus census-takers have visited Lawrence, but so far their calls have not been general. I hear but little of their operations elsewhere. I have no idea that they will list one-fourth of the voters here.

"Rather an interesting little event occurred at Tecumseh a few days ago. Some five or six Free State men were confined there—still held as political prisoners under some charge or other. I was informed that a small band of men masked, came to the prison one evening, lately, released the prisoners, tied up the Pro-Slavery man who guarded them, locked him up, and went demurely away.

"The immigration is coming in a torrent. Every boat up the Missouri River is full of immigrants. The Missouri River is in a poor stage, and from ten to twelve days are consumed in the passage. Boats stick on sand-bars. I learned that some fourteen hundred persons were stuck at one sand bar one hundred and fifty miles below. Complaints are made by immigrants that some of these Missouri River boats charge extra board on account of protracted passage. A stream of hacks are constantly on the road between here and Leavenworth and other points on the river. Town lot speculation is the ruling passion of the moment. Capital and labor are pouring in. Every house in this town is crammed with immigrants. There never was a finer prospect for business, improvement or speculation in Kansas. Some speculators in town lots make three or four hundred dollars per day by buying and selling, employing but little capital. Politics have been under a cloud lately. The murky cloud that covers the future will sometimes lift a little and reveal the distant lightning as it flickers and flashes, while its sound is not heard in the bustle of improvement and the growing business of a rich young empire. A few months of peace would be a great blessing to Kansas. The weather is mild but Kaw river is low."

WOMAN.—It is seldom that Julius Cæsar Hannibal says anything worth quoting, but the following is not bad:

"Day may rail against women as much as day like, dey can't set me up against dem. I hab always in my life found dem to be fust in lub, fust in a quarrel, fust in de dance, de fust in de ice-cream saloon, and de fust, best and de last in de sick room. What would we poor debbils do widout dem? Let us be born as young, as ugly, and as helpless as we please, and a woman's arm am open to receibe us. She it am who gubs us our fust dose ob castor oil, and puts de cloze 'pon our helpless naked limbs, and cabbers our foots and toses in long flannel petticoats; she it am who, as we grow up, fills our dinner baskets wid doenuts and apples as we start to school, and licks us when we tears our trowsers."

What relation is the door-mat to the scraper? Ans. A step fa(r)ther.

A Man in the Rapids of Niagara—Miraculous Escape—Thrilling Scene.

NIAGARA CITY, March 31, 2½ o'clock.—I have just returned from a most exciting and thrilling scene, which happily terminated in the rescue of a man who had fallen into the furious rapids near the great Suspension Bridge. It appears that he was a guest of the Ludlow Hotel, and after breakfast went out to view the Bridge, and proceeded down the perilous steps near Witmer's flouring mill, on the bank of the river.

On reaching the bottom he slipped and fell into the water, just above the bridge, and when discovered was thirty or forty rods below the bridge, near the shore, rolling over and over, borne along by the resistless current, until he caught hold of a large rock, and after some fruitless struggles succeeded in reaching the top. The alarm was immediately given in the neighborhood, and it was soon decided that there was no way of reaching him but by the means of a rope ladder.

This was immediately procured, and after much hesitation, delay, and altercation, occasioned by the difficulty of determining where to place it, inasmuch as the man could not be seen from the projecting bank over his head, it was lowered to the depth of perhaps a hundred feet and became entangled among the rocks and trees. It was at once decided that some one must go down to disentangle it, and conduct it down as far as the shelving rock over the man's head. But who among the crowd was willing to undertake the hazardous and doubtful experiment.

In a few moments Willard B Coburn, the porter of the Ludlow Hotel, volunteered his services, and proceeded to the place where the ladder was attached to the trees. He needed assistance and soon two more brave men, Anthony Shiley and Nate Crane, offered to go down. The three courageous men worked bravely for more than an hour in conducting the ladder down the precipice, while men at the top carefully let it down. At length the waving of handkerchiefs and cheerings on the Canada side indicated to us that the man had sprung to the shore from the rock and had begun to ascend the ladder.

Crane the old Dutch butcher went down over the shelving rock to meet and help the man up the ladder. But he preferred to climb up without help. Crane went below him, and in a few moments his bald head was seen emerging from below.—What a thrill of joy and dread at once pervaded the hearts of the multitude that witnessed the exciting scene—joy because of his success thus far and fear lest wet, cold and almost exhausted, he should lose his hold on the ladder and be dashed to fragments on the rocks a hundred feet below.

But cautiously, and with firm grasp and step, he climbed up the ladder, three hundred feet in length, and was greeted by the shouts and acclamations of the hundreds of spectators who had assembled to witness the exciting scene. He was for a few moments borne on the shoulders of the excited multitude, all were so anxious to congratulate him. This well meant but mistaken kindness only exhausted the poor man all the more, but he at length indicated that he wished to speak to thank them.

As might have been expected the mass of the people seemed to forget that the faithful, brave Dutch butcher was yet below. A few remained near the top of the ladder to see him safe up, and to speak words of commendation for his self forgetting courage. The whole three displayed a noble heroism that will long be remembered to their credit.

The rescued man, E. C. Taylor by name was from West Winfield, Herkimer county. He is a gentlemanly appearing man, 57 years of age. As Coburn, after reaching the top of the ladder turned round to look the rescued man in the face, with deep emotion he exclaimed: "Why this is the very man I waited on at the breakfast table this morning!" He had not till that moment discovered that the man was a guest of the Ludlow Hotel.—*Rochester Democrat.*

MORE TRACES OF SIR JOHN FRANKLINS PARTY.—Capt. Sherard Osborne has forwarded to the editor of the *Times* the following extract of letter, dated Red River Settlement, Hudson Bay Territory, December 6th:

"I have just returned from ——, who was at Norway House, last July, and saw the man who brought down an express to Sir George Simpson from Mr. Anderson, in McKenzie's River, (district,) stating that Indians had brought over reports to one of the trading points in that quarter, that Indians had seen two or more encampments of whites on an island on some point where Anderson and Stewart turned back, (in 1855,) and that one of the encampments particularly was quite fresh, supposed to have been abandoned a day or two before the Indians seen it, and from the traces thought there might have been about ten or twelve men. I could not hear of the exact locality further than that Anderson and Stewart were within a very short distance of the place where the traces were seen.—*St. Paul (Minne.) Pioneer of March.*

A SELL.—A chap in Albany recently advertised an infallible method to detect a counterfeit note, which he proposed to impart to all who chose to learn it, for $2 each. A good many "green ones" paid the sum, in return for which they received the following instructions, which, though good enough in their way, was hardly worth the money:—"Whenever you take a bill about which you entertain the slightest doubt, at once proceed to the banker in whom you place the most confidence, offer him the bill with the request that he will change it, if he declines to do so, make up your mind the note is bad."

PITCH INTO IT.

Not having a better subject to-day, we propose to say a few words upon the advice often given, in a great variety of cases, to "pitch into it." There is much philosophy and a deep significance in this phrase—for instance—if you are a boarder at a hotel or boarding house where there are plenty more like you at the table just don't wait, but "pitch into" the dinner; never mind any little scruples about good breeding, or fair play, "pitch in" at once—remember it is every body's duty to take care of number one; secure all your favorite dishes, put your feet into your neighbor's lap opposite, if you feel inclined, and if any body objects, just "pitch into" him, and tell him that it is a free country. In this way you will secure a good dinner, and the consciousness of having "pitched in," to your manifest advantage.

If you hail an omnibus in the street, and upon climbing upon the step, observe that it is full—twelve men, two women, a baby, and a bandbox, and a lap dog, "pitch into it"—especially if you are a fat man pitch right in, leave the road to the driver and the chances of your getting a seat to the fortuitous occurrence of circumstances; you will thus make yourself appreciated if not agreeable, and your very "pitching in" will work in your favor, for it is quite likely that some one who don't understand omnibusses will pitch out and make room; don't listen to any remonstrances; what are omnibusses made for if not to carry people?

Are you a doctor, and does some other son of Esculapius presume to take an office next door to you, and attempt to practice within your hitherto universal domain, "pitch into" him—pitch into his saddle bags, his pills, his horse, his looks—pitch into him generally—it is the rule—in fact it is your only sure way to do things, so that the business of both of you should be better than one.

If you are are a dry goods merchant, a daguerreotypist, a molasses candy pedlar, or engaged in any other respectable business, and any body else undertakes to cut you out, or "run" you pitch into him; no matter how—do it; if you are cowardly pitch into him with "a fire in the rear;" if bold pitch into him face to face; may be you'll make something out of it; you can't tell till you try; and if you don't pitch into him he will into you; so pitch in.—Young ladies, too, if any girl handsomer than you "comes out" and tries to carry of the prizes, then is your time; you know how to do it; don't let her rest; pitch into her affairs; tell all you know and guess [illegible] neighborhood all worked up, and in the muss, the great beauty will be sure to get some damage.

Is any body nominated for office; there is a most glorious opportunity to every body to pitch in, this beats every other chance, pitch into his character, his politics, his brains, his pocket, his friends; go in generally—and no matter how thick; that is the way to defeat, or elect him. In fine, neglect no opportunity in life to pitch into things; that is the way fortunes are made; places obtained, communities set by the ears, scandal manufactured, hearts broken, and life generally, rendered a lively game of hop-skotch; if nobody pitches into things this world would be a dreadful dull place, and a great deal more peaceable than it happens to be just now—therefore pitch in.

THE DEAD WIFE.

In comparison with the loss of a wife, all other bereavements are trifles. The wife, she who fills so large a space in the domestic heaven, she who is so busied, so unwearied, bitter is the tear that falls on her clay. You stand beside her grave, and think of the past; it seems an amber covered pathway, where the sun shone upon beautiful flowers, or the stars hung glittering overhead. Fain would the soul linger there. No thorns are remembered above the sweet clay, save those your own hand may have unwittingly planted. Her noble, tender heart lies open to your inmost sight. You think of her as all gentleness, all beauty and purity. But she is dead.—The dear head that has so often lain upon your bosom now rests upon a pillow of clay. The hands that administered so untiringly, are faded, white and cold, beneath the gloomy portals. The heart whose every beat measured an eternity of love lies under your feet. And there is no white arm around your shoulder now—no speaking face to look up in the eye of love—no trembling lips to murmur—"oh, it is so sad!" There is a strange hush in every room! No smile to greet you at nightfall—and the clock ticks, and ticks, and ticks! It was sweet music when she could hear it. Now it seems to knell only the hours through which you watched the shadows gathering upon the sweet face—But many a tale it telleth of joys past, sorrows shared, and beautiful words registered above. You feel that the grave cannot keep her. You know that she is often by your side; an angel presence. Cherish these emotions; they will make you happier. Let her holy presence be as a charm to keep you from evil. In all new and pleasant connections give her a place in your heart. Never forget what she has been to you—that she has loved you. Be tender to her memory.

BE CHARITABLE.—When the veil of death has been drawn between us and the objects of our regard, how quick sighted do we become to their merits, and how bitterly do we then remember words, or even looks of unkindness, which may have escaped in our intercourse with them.—How careful should such thoughts render us in the fulfilment of those offices of affection which may yet be in our power to perform; for who can tell how soon the moment may arrive when repentance cannot be followed by reparation.

U. S. SUPREME COURT.

Hon. John McLean, a native of New Jersey, is the oldest member of the present Bench, in date of commission. He is seventy-two years of age.

Hon. James M. Wayne, a native of Savannah, Ga., holds the next oldest appointment, having received it in January, 1835. He is seventy years of age, and up to the time of his appointment, was an ardent and active politician of the Jackson school.

Hon. Roger B. Taney, Chief Justice, a native of Maryland, was born on St. Patrick's day, 1777. He was a bitter partizan politician, so much so that the Senate rejected his appointment as Secretary of the Treasury, also as Associate Justice; but after the death of Chief Justice Marshall, he received the appointment of Chief Justice in March, 1836, and was confirmed.

Hon. John Catron was born in Western Virginia, but since his youth has been a resident in Tennessee. His age is sixty-five. He served one campaign under Gen. Jackson.

The above were appointed by General Jackson.

Hon. Peter V. Daniel is a native of Virginia, and a descendant of one of the English families. He was offered the post of Attorney General by Jackson but declined. He was appointed U. S. District Judge for Virginia, and upon the death of Judge Barbour, was nominated Associate Justice by Mr. Van Buren, in 1840.

Hon. Samuel Nelson is a native of Cooperstown, New York, and was appointed by Mr. Polk, in 1845. He is about sixty-five years of age.

Hon. Robert C. Grier was born in Cumberland county, Pennsylvania, March 5th, 1794, and is a little over sixty-three years of age. His life, previous to going upon the Bench, was divided between the law and academic pursuits. He was appointed by Mr. Polk, in 1850.

Hon. Benjamin R. Curtis is a native of Massachusetts, and is forty-eight years old. He never was a politician, but was taken by Mr. Fillmore from the bar, and placed upon the Bench in 1851.

Hon. John A. Campbell was born in Alabama, and was a lawyer in Mobile. He was appointed to the Bench in 1853, by Gen. Pierce. His age is fifty-four.

INDIAN ATROCITIES IN IOWA.—A letter received here from a responsible source, dated Fort Dodge, Iowa, March 23d, says that a settlement of twenty families at the head waters of the Des Moines river, had been attacked by Indians, and that it was supposed that all were murdered. Only two houses were visited by the persons bringing the news, in which fourteen dead bodies were found. Some had been shot and others inhumanly clubbed to death.—It is presumed that the whole number of persons composing the settlement were killed, or that they are now in captivity.—A meeting of citizens was called on the 22d ult., and a company of fifty to one hundred men had organized to march to take vengeance on the Indians, and rescue any person that might be found with them.

The telegraph last night confirms the above. The massacre took place on Spirit Lake. The Indian agent, Elandiam, started with a company of troops from Fort Ridgely on the 17th ult. Fifteen settlers are reported missing.

The St. Paul Pioneer of the 26th confirms the report that a massacre occurred on the 9th. Spirit Lake is in Emmett county, Iowa, on the Minnesota boundary.

Indian Summer of Life.

In the life of the good man there is no Indian summer more beautiful than that of the season; richer, sunnier, and more sublime than the most glorious Indian summer the world ever knew—it is the Indian summer of the soul. When the glow of youth has departed, when the wrath of middle age is gone, and the buds and blossoms of Spring are changing to the sere and yielding leaf, when the mind of the good man, still ripe and vigorous, relaxes its labors, and the memories of a well spent life gush forth from their secret fountains, enriching, rejoicing and fertilizing; then the trustful resignation of the Christian sheds around a sweet and holy warmth, and the soul, assuming a heavenly lustre, is no longer restricted to the narrow confines of business, but soars far beyond the winter of hoary age, and dwells peacefully and happily upon that bright spring and summer which awaits him within the gates of Paradise evermore. Let us strive for and, look trustingly forward to an Indian summer like this.

HIGHLY MIXED.—A widower, at Camden, who was not very young, became smitten with a young and beautiful girl, and married her. A short time after, the son of this man by a former wife, became also in love with the mother of his father's new wife, a widow lady still in the bloom of life. Soon the young man and the widow were united, so that in consequence of these two connections a father became the son-in-law of his son, and the wife not only the daughter-in-law of her own son-in-law, but still more, the mother-in-law of her own daughter; while the husband of the latter is the father-in-law of his own mother-in law, and father-in-law to his own father.—Singular confusion may arise if children should spring from these peculiar marriages.

☞ "Fellow Citizens," said an English preacher, "if you were told that by going to the top of those stairs yonder (pointing to a rickety pair at one end of the church) you might secure your salvation, I really believe hardly any of you would try it, but let any man proclaim that there were a hundred sovereigns up there for you, and I'll be bound there would be "such a getting up stairs as you never did see."

ASHES FOR CURRANTS.—A correspondent of the Country Gentleman, speaks of ashes, leached and unleached, having greatly benefitted his currant bushes, causing much larger berries, and producing more bearing wood than those which received none. This fact he observed, in the growth of bushes near which ash heaps had been placed. It requires a much larger amount of leached ashes to produce the same effect as unleached. This is one of the little matters which cultivators can experiment upon.

We cannot refrain from impressing upon all, that currants are benefitted by manuring and good cultivation, as anything else grown in the garden. It is a sorry sight to see them embedded in grass. Those who thus neglect them do not deserve more than "half crops." They will get that or less.

A MODEL CERTIFICATE.—The following certificate outdoes the "Panaceas," "Syrups" and "Magnetic" nostrums which usually works such astonishing miracles in the cures upon conceited and credulous people:

Dear Doctor:—I will be 175 years old next October. For 94 years I have been an invalid, unable to stir except when moved by a lever; but a year ago last Thursday I heard of the Granicular Syrup.

I bought a bottle smelt the cork and found myself a new man. I can now run twelve and a half miles an hour, and throw nineteen double somersets without stopping.

P. S.—A little of your Alicumstoutem Salve applied to a wooden leg, reduced a compound fracture in nineteen minutes, and is covering the limb with a fresh cuticle of white pine bark.

Beauties of Going to Law.—In the Worchester County Court of Common Pleas a Mr. Dudley sued a Mr. Tift to recover $1,25, the price of a pair of boots. The action was an appeal from decision of the Justice of the Peace in favor of the plaintiff. The costs will count up to between $100 and $125; the plaintiff therefore recovers a dollar and a quarter and probably pays his lawyer ten times that amount, besides his own loss of time. The defendant pays his lawyer, loses his time and one hundred and twenty-five dollars in a foolish endeavor to save $1,25.

WAR IN LIBERIA.—A furious war is raging in the vicinity of Cape Palmas, between the colonists and the natives. Thirty-seven American houses and much property have been destroyed, and twenty-[illegible] and business matters were at a stand. A detachment of one hundred and fifty men had left Monrovia for Cape Palmas, on board a schooner, with Ex-President Roberts and Vice President Yates, to aid the colonists. We understand that the settlement immediately at Cape Palmas has not been destroyed, and it is hoped it will be able to resist the attacks of the natives.

☞ Rev. Daniel Waldo, the venerable Chaplain of the House of Representatives, now 94 years old, has re-visited his home in Connecticut. Last week he preached two sermons in Sharon, walked half a mile from tha parsonage to the meeting-house, and went through the exercises without apparent fatigue. Mr. Waldo was a soldier in the Revolution.

☞ The editor of the *Woonsocket Patriot* makes merry over the mistake of an Shanghai hen of his, that has been "setting" for five weeks upon two round stones and a piece of brick! "Her anxiety," quotes he, "is no greater than ours to know what she will hatch. If it prove a brick-yard, that hen is not for sale."

☞ How many sickly ones wish they were healthy, how many begger-men wish they were wealthy; how many ugly ones wish they were pretty; how many stupid ones wish they witty; how many bachelors wish they were married; how many Benedicks wish they had tarried? Single or double, life's full of trouble, riches are stubble, pleasure's bubble.

☞ Mr. John Milligan, of Greenville, Orange county, New York, in a letter to the Commissioner of Patents, states that he has a new kind of potato, which he raised from the ball, which matures very early, and from which two crops can be raised in one season.

☞ A new filibustering expedition is reported to be organizing in New Orleans to make a descent upon New Granada, and work up thro' Costa Rica to the assistance of Walker. Ninety of Walker's deserters arrived at New Orleans on the 30th of March on the Empire City.

☞ Old Roger was visiting a friend who had a remarkable fine girl, about three years old, famous for smart sayings. As usual, she was shown off before our esteemed friend. "What is papa?" said the parient, in order to draw out the precocious reply. "Papa's a humbug," said the juvenile. "I declare," said Old Roger, "I never in my life saw so young a child with so mature a judgement."

☞ The people of Peru are so indolent that they open pea pods with an oyster knife. In driving horses, they always have two men to each quadruped—one to hold the reins, and the other to cry "whoa!"

☞ The Ohio laws allow divorces for "gross ne glect of duty," which, being liberally construed allows the parties to separate almost at pleasure. The laws are nearly the same, we understand, in Illinois and Wisconsin.

BANK OF NEW CASTLE.

April 3d 1857.

The undersigned committee appointed by resolution of the Board on the 21st ult., to investigate the affairs of the Bank beg leave to report, that they have given the subject that consideration which its importance seemed to require, and herewith submit a statement showing the present condition of the institution:

Statement of the Assets and Liabilities of the Bank of New Castle.

ASSETS.	
Bills discounted and not matured,	$92,262 20
do under protest and in course of collection	42,825 27
Due from Banks and Bankers and cash on hand,	38,601 42
Protection loan Notes	85,000 00
Accounts overdrawn,	3,309 08
Indebteeness of John N. Wagenseller as far as ascertained,	80,729 74
Total	$292,127 71
Total liabilities of which there are $1[illegible],170 of notes in circulation	$206,024 23
Amount of Assets over liabilities,	$86,103 48

NOTE.—From the best estimates which can be made at present, there are $40,000 of the assets which may be considered bad or doubtful.

With this brief statement, your committee might with propriety close this report, nevertheless it may not be deemed improper to make some additional remarks as to the nature and character of the assets &c. so far as the parties whose paper the Bank holds are personally known to the committee; they believe them to be fully responsible, and from the best information the committee have been able to obtain, they believe that a large proportion of the balance of the assets are good. That the only security the Bank has (as far as they know) for the payment of the liabilities of J. N. Wagenseller, is his official bond in the sum of $30,000 and $21,000 of Harlem and Wilkesbarre Gas stock, (the market value of which they have been unable to ascertain)—which the committee believe can be secured to the Bank, *but is not included in the assets*. Of the outstanding circulation, $85,000 appears to have been put out chiefly by the former and late Cashiers, without the knowledge or approbation of the Board of Directors, on what is called protection loans, the terms of which may be seen by reference to the papers on file in the Bank. This amount your committee are of opinion, will be returned to the Bank and redeemed, by delivering to the parties holding the same their notes or contracts. Of the amount due from Banks and Bankers, there are $15,000, which is said to be a protection loan, in relation to which they make the same remark as to the $85,000

If the opinion of the committee be well founded, $100,000 of the circulation will be absorbed without specie funds, and as your committee believe a large amount of the balance of the circulation will be redeemed by the payment of bills discounted within a comparatively short time, leaving but a small amount to be redeemed in coin, that in their opinion, with a judicious disposition of the present assets, and sale of the stock held by the Bank, the institution can be re-opened under a new administration, with fair prospects of profitable and safe business if not so large as under the former administration.

The committee think it unnecessary to speak at length of the cause or causes of the embarassments of the institution, as the investigation of the conduct of the late cashier will disclose to the community the principal, if not the whole of them, and on this point would only remark that, in their opinion the fraudulent conduct of the former and late cashiers, aided by persons not officially connected with the management of the Bank, nor residing in its immediate vicinity, were the chief causes.

Your committee further believe, that if the stock and note holders at home and abroad stand by the institution and give it proper encouragement, it will soon regain the confidence of the public and be able to redeem all its liabilities within a brief period, without serious loss to either; and that the commercial and manufacturing interests of this community are such as to demand the hearty co-operation of every good citizen in a laudable attempt to sustain the bank and thereby preserve its franchise.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

David Sankey,
R. W. Cunningham,
J. W. Johnston,
Cyrus Clarke.
Committee.

The Fruit Prospect.

The Cincinnati *Price Current*, speaking of the storm of last Sunday night says:

"According to the advices of Telegraph, this cold weather has extended over the Union. At New Orleans, Monday, sleet fell, with an unusual low temperate. At Augusta, Georgia, there was snow and frost, Monday. In Tennessee, the peaches are reported killed, and the tobacco crop injured. The peach and cherry buds in this vicinity are all blasted by the frost, but the grape and apple buds are not injured. Vegetation has been kept back by the low temperature of March, and had it not been for this the fruit would have been all killed. As it is, the consequences will, no doubt, be disastrous, particularly in the Southern States."

The Cincinnati *Gazette* says:

"We are inclined to think the fruit south of the Ohio is destroyed; but in the Northern States it is yet safe. In the Miami country the effect is doubtful. We are sceptical in regard to spring damage to fruit *when the blossom is not out*, and in much of the Miami Valley the buds of even the peach are not burst out. Last week the fruit on the Miama was safe.—How it is now is doubtful. We shall soon see. The apple crop, we suppose, will be saved."

☞ The entire vote in Cincinnati on Monday, for Superior Judge was as follows: For Bellamy Storer, 8,867; for Ferguson, 8,521—Storer's majority 346; and for Mayor as follows: Thomas (Rep.) 8,814, and Smith (Dem.) 8,552. Republican majority 261 Hurrah for the Queen City.

From the Mo. Democrat.

OUR VICTORY.

A MOST GLORIOUS TRIUMPH.

The returns of our charter election, which we publish this morning, will show a noble and prolific victory achieved by the free white working men of St. Louis—We call it noble, because it has vindicated the rights and dignity of white labor; we call it prolific, because it is but the precursor of many others that are to follow.—After an animated contest, with all the engineering of consolidated party drill against it, with all the stereotyped traditions of past politics to encounter, and all the force and animosity of slavery prejudices and slavery timidities hanging as an incubus upon the movement, the cause of the white man, the free man, the laboring man has been the successful cause. This is glory enough for one day. It is a triumph that in Rome would have crowned the victor with a wreath of glory as he went up the Appian way—in Greece would have led to Olympian games in his honor—in America, demands the applause and acclaim of the whole people.

This victory likewise is the more gratifying—the more to be rejoiced at—the more to be solemnized in the hereafter—inasmuch as the triumph has been achieved by no evasive canvass—by no concealments of principle—by no false pretences or questionable doctrines. The issue was boldly made, by the Nullifiers and as boldly met. Free Labor was assailed in its stronghold, and Free Labor stood up for its rights and vindicated its dignity not less than its authority. The gauntlet was thrown down by the advocates of slavery extension and slavery perpetuation, and it was manfully taken up by the Democracy and by those who look forward to ultimate emancipation as a coming and a pressing necessity of state policy. Violent and denunciatory attacks upon free speech and a free press were met by still freer thoughts and still more emphatic utterance. And the result has answered the expectation of the most sanguine. From fifteen hundred to two thousand majority over the acknowledged champion of the opposition is what we may claim in point of numbers, and in point of prestige we may claim everything. The future of St. Louis belongs to her workingmen—to her mechanics—to her merchants—to her manufacturers—to her artizans—in short to her true democracy for there is no other democracy than that of labor. They have in their hands the hereafter to mould it as they will. Let them be wary in action.

It remains to be seen what use the great party which has just achieved a victory so unlooked for by the country—so confidently expected by themselves—will make of their triumph. Will they encounter the fatal delays of Cannae? Will they give up the ground they have won, and return to their tents with no longing for conquest We trust not. We trust that what they have now done for themselves they may hereafter be induced to do for others. We trust that, as they have gained a battle in their own persons, they will not hesitate, hereafter, to aid in lending their strength to gain a battle for their friends in the [illegible] on the phalanx of victory: "*Nulla retorsum vestigia.*"

Let men every where know, hereafter, that St. Louis has made a proclamation inviting the people of the world to come and settle in her midst, assuring them of protection in person, property and opinion. She is henceforth, the Free City of the Valley of the Missisipi. She invites Labor, Capital and Commerce, without distinction of country. She proposes herself as a Center of Trade without any Circumference.

In reference to the details of the election which will be found in another column, it is only necessary to say that Mr. Wimer, the candidate of the True Democracy, is elected by nearly Two Thousand over the highest opposition candidate—that we have carried the whole municipal ticket, as well as both branches of the City Council, and that the Nullifiers, as far as we yet learn, have not elected a candidate in the city.

Again we say, enough glory for one day.

The Americans and Republicans of Dauphin County held a Mass Convention at Harrisburg on Saturday evening last and ratified the action of the State Convention. The Harrisburg correspondent of the Pittsburgh *Gazette* says:

J. J. Clyde, one of the most devoted and bitter Fillmore men in the State during the late Presidential canvass presided. This meeting passed strong resolutions of endorsment, and was addressed by the Hon. Joseph Cassy and the Hon. John C Kunkel, both of whom now most heartily endorse the nomination of Wilmot. R. B. Moorhead of Indiana made a neat, brief closing address to the meeting. It was well received.

The principal incident of the meeting was the bold bitter denunciation of Sanderson by Kunkel. He styled Sanderson the modern Achen who wore "*Babylonish garments, had shekels of silver and a wedge of gold.*" He delared that he "should experience the fate of his ancient prototype, be brought forth to the front of the camp and in presence of the whole hosts be stoned to death."

This is rather scathing language, coming from one whom the *News* had said it was willing to support for Governor. But every where the feeling is to hold no communion with the traitor or his crew. This meeting has been attended with most valuable results. It augers the most perfect union and harmony in this county; upon all sides there seems to be a strong desire manifested that there should be a consolidation of both wings of the great army of freedom.

Late from Kansas.

St. Louis, April 13.—Kansas advices to the 7th are received. Robinson and Deitzler appeared at Lecompton on the 6th to stand a trial for treason, but the time and place of holding the Court being changed they were directed to appear on the first Monday of May.

The requirements of the law not being carried out respecting the Census list, no voting will be allowed at Lawrence and Lecompton, and four obscure places have been designated as the polls.

BEAVER ARGUS.

M. WEYAND.........................J. WEYAND.

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BEAVER, PA.,

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1857.

FOR GOVERNOR,

DAVID WILMOT,

Of Bradford County.

FOR SUPREME JUDGES.

James Veech,

Of Fayette County,

Joseph J. Lewis,

Of Chester County.

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER,

WM. MILLWARD,

Of Philadelphia.

BRIDGEWATER SUBSCRIBERS.—Our subscribers in Bridgewater will hereafter receive the Argus at the Drug Store lately occupied by Dr. S. Smith—Dr. Levis having kindly consented to take charge of the package.

☞ We give place, in another column, to a communication from David Kennedy, Esq., late a member of the Board of Commissioners, only at his urgent solicitation, regretting at the same time that he did not, during the pendency of the controversy, put in his defence.

Probable Changes in the Cabinet.

From reports originating in Washington, it seems not unlikely that important changes will shortly occur in President Buchanan's Cabinet. Gen. Cass, it is supposed, will be the first to retire. It has been ascertained by this time that extreme old age and physical debility totally incapacitate him for the discharge of the onerous and complicated duties of the State Department. It was a grave mistake on the part of the *President* to tender him the position; and a still graver one for the General, at his time of life, to accept it. Twenty years ago, when in the vigor of manhood, he might have filled the place with somewhat of credit to himself, and perhaps to the advantage of the country, providing he could have curbed his foolishly belligerent feelings toward the mother country. If Gen. C. retires, other changes will most likely take place. It was well understood at Washington, before the Cabinet was finally agreed upon, that Mr. Cobb, the Secretary of the Treasury, would in no event take a secondary post under any one other than Gen. Cass. If this determination was really arrived at, Mr Cobb will either have to be transferred to the State Department, or will quit the Cabinet altogether. The impression also gains ground in some quarters, that Mr. Walker, the newly appointed Governor of Kansas, may not, after all, choose to go to his new field of labor, but will permit the reins to rest in the hands of his Secretary, Mr. Stanton, who is to be the acting Governor for the time being—Mr. W., in the meantime, resting upon his oars at Washington, waiting, like Micawber, for something better to "turn up." [illegible] was urged for the State Department a few months ago, and was only overslaughed because of the extreme views which he entertained. Should an opening occur now, his friends will doubtless renew the attack, with chances of success better than before.

DEATH OF MR. PENROSE.—The sudden death of this gentleman, a member of the State Senate, from the City of Philadelphia, was briefly announced in a telegraphic dispatch last week. For the last twenty-five or thirty years, Mr. P. has occupied a prominent place in the political history of this State. He was a man of commanding ability. In 1833 he was first elected Senator from the Cumberland District; in 1838 he was chosen Speaker of the Senate, and occupied that post during the continuance of the memorable "Buckshot war" of 1838–9. In 1840, he was appointed Solicitor of the Treasury, under the Harrison administration; in 1848 he was made Assistant Secretary of the Treasury under President Taylor. Subsequently he removed to Philadelphia, engaged in the practice of the law, and in the year 1856, he was again sent to the Senate. Touching eulogies upon his talents and his worth were delivered by Senators Wilkins, Taggart, Harris and others. Both Houses adjourned for the purpose of observing the customary rites, and paying the last tribute of respect due to the honored dead. Mr. P. was about 60 years of age.

RESPONSES OF THE PRESS.

We continue to receive the most gratifying responses in every part of the State, to the nominations recently made at Harrisburg.—Every anti Administration paper which has come under our observation, with the exception of the Philadelphia News—which won for itself such an unenviable reputation in the canvass of last fall—enters into the contest with a zeal and an earnestness that we have seldom seen equaled, and which promises to result in the achievement of a complete victory. The recent decision of the Supreme Court; the belief that has seized hold of the public mind that Mr. Buchanan has surrendered himself to the guidance of Southern politicians; the failure to sustain Gov. Geary, and the substitution of an ultra southern fire-eater in his stead, have conspired to such a degree in opening the eyes of many who have thus long suffered themselves to be deluded by specious catch-words and false professions, that a re action must and will come, and that speedily. The feeling that Pennsylvania was lost last fall, only through the treachery of professed enemies of the Democratic party, and the conviction that the State ought and can be redeemed, will incite the friends of Freedom to a diligence, and an untiring activity that can hardly fail of success.

DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN.—Our last contained a brief notice of the death of MR. JAMES WILSON. He was one of the early pioneers of Beaver county. Some fifty odd years ago he located in this borough, engaged in merchandizing, and subsequently in the profession of school teaching in different parts of the county. He was extensively known, and much esteemed for his honesty and for the kindliness of his manners. Mr. W. was nearly, if not quite the last, of that band of aged men whose lives and histories were interwoven with the early settlement of our county, and who braved dangers, and endured hardships and privations scarcely to be imagined by their descendants. He died at the green old age of 85.

FATAL AFFRAY.—The practice of carrying and using deadly weapons, upon the slightest pretext has become alarmingly prevalent of late. A man named William Campbell was shot by another named James Jones, at a disreputable house, in Pittsburgh, a few days since; the effects of which produced almost instantaneous death. Both were young men, respectably connected, but both had fallen into pernicious habits, and of late had been leading dissolute lives. Jones is now in prison awaiting his trial for murder.

☞ WILLIAM NEWELL, Esq., has been appointed Collector at New Castle and Cross Cut, on the Beaver Division of the Erie Canal. He has occupied the Collector's office at Cross Cut for a number of years past. From his accommodating disposition and thorough business qualifications we doubt not he will discharge his additional duties in a creditable manner to himself, and highly satisfactory to the traveling public.

APPOINTED TO THE BENCH.—James Armstrong, Esq., of Lycoming county, has been appointed to the seat on the Supreme Bench made vacant by the resignation of Judge Black.—This is a somewhat unexpected appointment, in view of the assurances understood to have been given by the Governor that he would appoint the candidate having the highest vote in the recent Union State Convention.

STATE ELECTIONS.—In Connecticut the Republicans have elected the State ticket, both branches of the Legislature, and probably three of the four members of Congress—the Democrats gaining one. The Republicans have also elected the State Judicial tickets in the States of Wisconsin and Michigan—by majorities of about 10,000 in each.

"GOOD EGGS."—We are informed that a hen in the neighboring village of Rochester recently produced THIRTY-SIX living chickens—all one brood, and from one sitting. *That* hen has evidently been trying to *spread* herself, and has proven eminently sound on the *egg* question.—Her owner may safely challenge the county, and perhaps the State, to eclipse her if they can.

☞ CYRUS PRENTISS, Esq., well and favorably known as the former indefatigable President of the Cleveland, & Pittsburgh Railroad Company, has been appointed financial agent, with power to negotiate bonds, buy iron, &c., for the Milwaukee (Wis.) and Beloit Railroad.

QUITE A RUSH.—Our political friends in Butler county appear to be just now in the midst of a very pretty scramble for the local offices. We perceive by the last American that *forty-nine* persons are announced for seven offices, and that, too, before the appearance of a call for a County Convention.

☞ The River is in excellent navigable order at the present time—the frequent rains of last week swelling the water to 12 to 15 feet in the channel. An unusually large number of boats have passed up and down within three or four days. Freights, however, appear to be scarce between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati.

☞ We observe that workmen are busily employed in clearing off the stones and rubbish on the new Seminary grounds, preparatory to laying off and planting trees, flowers, &c. The [illegible] gentlemen of taste, and will doubtless well perform this part of their duty.

☞ Hon. Samuel Brenton, a member of the late Congress, from Indiana, and re-elected to the next, died a short time since at his residence in Fort, Wayne. Mr. B. was a minister of the Gospel; a worthy and useful man, and stood deservedly high in the estimation of men of all parties.

☞ The Free Banking Bill proposed by Mr Ball, of Erie, was, last week, defeated in the House of Representatives, but was subsequently reconsidered by a large vote, and made the general order for every afternoon of the present week, until finally disposed of.

☞ Messrs. Stokes, of Westmoreland, Shannon and Burke, of Allegheny, Cunningham, of Beaver, and Thompson of Erie, are among the gentlemen in the West spoken of in connection with the Democratic nomination for Judge of the Supreme Court.

☞ The earnings of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R., for the month of March, 1857, were $163,287 93—an increase of $42,382 16 over those of the same month in the previous year.

☞ The *Pennsylvania School Journal*, published at Lancaster, Pa., by Thos. H. Burrows, Esq., is an invaluable publication, and should be patronized, and in the hands of every School Director and friend of Education in the county.

☞ The Commissioners of Washington county offer a reward of One Thousand Dollars for the apprehension of the villains who murdered Samuel H. White, a short time since, under such shocking circumstances.

☞ Wm. B. Reed, Esq., of Philadelphia formerly an old line Whig, but in the late canvass a Buchanan man, has been rewarded by an appointment as Minister to China.

COUNTERFEITS.—Counterfeit $5's on the Union Bank of New London, Conn., and the Genessee Valley Bank are in circulation. Both are said to be well executed, and calculated to deceive.

☞ Gov. Pollock has, up to this time, signed two hundred and forty-two bills passed by the present Legislature.

☞ Hon. Charles Sumner has arrived safely in England. He finds his health greatly improved.

☞ A decision in the Passmore Williamson case, it is expected, will be given in the course of a few days.

☞ The celebrated "Kit Carson", has been appointed Indian Agent in New Mexico.

☞ At a meeting of the Beaver County Agricultural Society, the 29th and 30th of September, and 1st of October next were appointed to hold the next Fair.

Resolved, That we now adjourn to meet on Friday, April 24th, at 10 o'clock, precisely, at the Sheriff's Office, in Beaver.

S. CUNNINGHAM, Sec.

Quebec Election

Quebec, April 13.—During the election on Saturday great riots had occurred at St. Roch. The police had been beaten, and the military were ordered out.

For the Beaver Argus.

To the People of Beaver County.

FELLOW CITIZENS:—The Auditors of the County appear to be endeavoring to arouse your indignation against the County Commissioners, for the manner in which the funds of the County have been expended throughout the by-gone year. They were replied to once by our present Board of Commissioners, but Mr. Eakin appears not to be satisfied, he appears to take great delight in having his name before the public. I suppose he is looking ahead, and he wants to make the people believe that he is very much concerned for their welfare. He is accordingly out in the Argus some time back in another communication, in which he says that "It was through no animosity or personal feeling of disrespect to the present Board of Commissioners that they made mention of the manner in which moneys are received and the public not know by whom or for what purpose." Oh no, I suppose not! But he was so awfully astonished and disgusted when he saw the manner in which the funds of the dear people had been squandered that he could not refrain. Poor man! it is a wonder that he ever survived the shock, but I hope he will get over it; his death would be an awful calamity to the community. The people would then have no one to guard their interests, and public officers might then squander the people's money with impunity, and the people never be anything the wiser. He says further that they had no thought that we would say aught against their action in this matter. Oh yes! I suppose he would expect us to allow ourselves to be published as swindlers of the public, and yet we must not say aught against it. Mr. Eakin says that we "lump our incidental account, and leave the tax paying citizens in the dark." To this I would say that if the items are not generally given, it is the fault of the Auditors and not of the Commissioners.—Any person that will take the trouble to examine the records can see the Items for themselves. He says that 'improvements such as bridges and roads through the County have been stopped, upon the account of a monument of folly being erected called a jail or penitentiary." I think that it would be as well for our auditors in their communications to the public to stand by the truth. Their own report shows that nearly $2,000 were expended in building and repairing bridges in the by-gone year. As for the jail it was a jail that the Commissioners hesitated very much about undertaking, but it had been several times laid before the Grand Jury, and they had time and again reported in favor of it, and we considered it our duty to be influenced by their decisions. But there was one thing about which we had no hesitation, and in this I think we will be sustained by the people. That was, if we built at all we would build a good one, and it will when finished be among the best in the State. Mr. Eakin draws a comparison between the year 1847 and the last year, and shows that the pay of the Commissioners in the last year amounted to more than double what it was then, and says that there were more public improvements going on in the County to be attended to then than now. To this I would say, that upon referring to the books I find that the Receipts and Expenditures in the last year were more than double what they were in 1847, and that the amount expended in building and repairing bridges in the last year was nearly six times what it was then, of course the business would be nearly double. But Mr. Eakin appears to keep altogether out of view the fact that the Commissioners pay has been increased by law to one third more than it was in 1847; and I guess almost all public officers, our County Auditors among the rest are willing to take all that the law allows them. Now if we take the Commissioner's pay ($725,11) in 1847, and double it for the increase in business, and then add one-third for the increase by law it will bring it to $1933,62, nearly $500 more than we actually received. Mr. Eakin further charges that "our latter day Commissioners make the County fund pay for their personal and traveling expenses through the County." To this I would say that I do not know what is the general practice or custom of the Commissioners of our County, or any other County, but I know that it never was my practice to charge the County with personal expenses. I charged for horse hire, ferryage, railroad fare &c., (and this I think every honorable man will admit I had a right to do) but never for personal expenses. In conclusion I would suggest that if our Auditors are such sticklers for retrenchment and reform, I think it would look as well for them to begin at home and set the example. "Cleanse first that which is within the cup and platter, that the outside of them may be clean also." But we find the Auditors pay increased the last year to more than double what it was a few years ago. In the last year it amounted to $126, now if their pay had been increased one-third by law as the Commissioners has been it would bring it to $168, this would be more than three times as much as our Auditors received a few years back. But I suppose Mr. Eakin and his associates would wish others to do not as they do, but as they say.

DAVID KENNEDY.

Can't Swallow Dred Scott.—The Kalamazoo *Gazette*, the most able and influential of all the interior Democratic papers of Michigan, has bolted his party. It cannot stand the *Dred Scott* decision. It has not flinched at the violation of the Missouri Compromise, nor protested against the border ruffian usurpation in Kansas, but now that its party have planted themselves upon the *Dred Scott* decision—denied the citizenship, and the usual righss of protection by the civil power, to over half a million of free colored people, and agreed that slavery shall be a national institution overruling State laws and constitutions, and claiming the protection of the American flag on the high seas—having reached such a depth of debasement, it can no longer follow them.

Every Article Warranted well Made.—This motto adopted and carried out has done much toward building up a character for the ready made clothing sold by Carnaghan, Allegheny City. His work is known to be of superior order, and is sold at low rates for Cash only. Buyers will find on his counters new styles of Piece Goods, for Gents and Boys' custom work, and a choice stock of well made clothing of every grade.

INTERESTING FROM CHINA!

THE BOMBARDMENT OF CANTON

70,000 MEN REPORTED KILLED.

From the N. Y. Journal of Commerce, April 8.

MACAO, Jan. 29, 1857.—All foreign business is not only suspended, but entirely at an end, both at Hong Kong and at Canton. Since my last letter, the greater part of the western suburbs of the latter city, in which is situated nearly all the warehouses, shops, &c., concerned in foreign trade, have been consumed. Of the total destruction of the foreign factories you will have heard by my last letter.—The Chinese compute their losses in houses, go-downs, shops, &c., at over 4,000 buildings—up to the present time; and in merchandize, and the value of the above property, they state their losses at $10,000,000—which is probably not far from the truth.

We cannot, of course, know very accurately the damage sustained by the city of Canton, since the bombardment began, 28th October last; but as the latter has been kept up with more or less pertinacity to within a few days ago, when the English Admiral retired with his forces from before the city, it is fair to suppose that the Chinese do not over estimate the loss in life when they state it at 70,000 of all ages and sexes. Everything favors this calculation, and it is well known that the streets are exceedingly narrow, the population of great density, the means or the power to move within the reach of comparatively few, while the custom of closing of the gates of every street during a period of public danger, creates immense loss of life, by any sudden movement of the populace.

To say nothing of all the other distresses which have been riveted upon them, and which are inseparable from such a condition of things, the total destruction of the trade of the place, the interruption to all the daily avocations of the people, &c., are very oppressive in their effects. Still, up to the present moment, the Chinese do not make the *slighest concession*. The vice roy, Yeh, in all his official documents, is as firm at this moment as he was when the "Arrow" lorcha was seized by his officers on the 8th October last. The people, too, are even more bitter and exasperated against the English, and perhaps all foreigners; and notwithstanding their distresses and their sufferings, their opposition to everything which bears the appearance of reconciliation or terms of any kind, is greater than ever.

The Bogus Laws.

The assertion so frequently made that the Bogus Legislature of Kansas has repealed its obnoxious and bloody "laws," enacted at the former Session, is false. A single one of those acts—that imposing a political test-oath on voters—was repealed, with one section only (the twelfth) of "An Act to punish offences against "Slave Property"—the section which punishes as a felon "any free person" who shall "by speaking or by writing, assert or maintain that persons have not the right to hold slaves in this Territory," or who shall circulate any paper or pamphlet asserting that same. Twelve other sections of that same atrocious act are unrepealed and in force to-day, so far as the enacting body can give them force—among others, these:

"Sec. 11. If any person print, write, introduce into, publish or circulate, or cause to be brought into, printed, written, published or circulated, or shall knowingly aid or assist in bringing into, printing, publishing or circulating within this Territory, any book, paper, pamphlet, magazine, handbill or circular, containing any statements, arguments, opinions, sentiment, doctrine, advice or inuendo, calculated to produce a disorderly, dangerous, or rebellious disaffection among the slaves in this Territory, or to induce such slaves to escape from the service of their masters, or to resist their authority, he shall be guilty of felony, and be punished by imprisonment at hard labor for a term of not less than five years.

"Sec. 13. No person who is conscientiously opposed to holding slaves, or who does not admit the right to hold slaves in this Territory, shall sit as a juror on the trial of any prosecution for any violation of any of the sections of this act."

Scores of such enactments remain, and new ones of like tyrannical and partisan character were added at the late session.—And yet thousands of well-meaning citizens have been made to believe that the despotic partisan acts of that Legislature, intended to uphold Slavery, have all been repealed.—*Pittsburgh Gazette.*

Official Approval of Mr. Woodson's Conduct.—The organ of the Government, the Washington Union, in its yesterday's issue, closes a eulogy on Mr. Walker, the new Governor of Kansas, and Mr. Stanton, the new Secretary, with the following paragraph:

"Mr. Woodson, the present able secretary of the territory, it is understood, is to be transfered to some other appropriate position. The appointment of his successor was a necessary part of the general plan adopted in reference to the government of Kansas, and not intended to discredit Mr. Woodson in any sense whatever."

Of course not. Mr. Woodson, in his capacity of secretary of the territory, has been the most serviceable tool of the Border Ruffians that could be imagined. Mr. Buchanan's Administration has no fault whatever to find with his conduct, which according to its notions, has been exemplary in the highest degree. Equally well satisfied, of course, is the administration with Judge Lecompt, as useful a tool of the slaveholders in his judicial capacity as Woodson has shown himself in an executive station.—*N. Y. Post.*

From New York.

NEW YORK, April 13.—The Herald's Washington correspondent says:—The Governorship of Utah has been offered to Major M'Culloch, of Texas, who has declined.

The Herald has an editorial article, urging the political supporters of Col. Fremont to concentrated action, in view of the next Presidential campaign.

Relief for General Walker.

New Orleans, April, 13.—Snow fell yesterday at Vicksburg, and also at Summit, Miss., to the depth of an inch and a half.

Preparations are making to send 1000 men from Charleston to the relief of Walker. Charleston and New Orleans contribute $5,000.

HEADACHE AND DEBILITY.—Mr. Silas J. Liscomb, of Birmingham, says: "I have found in Boerhave's Holland Bitters, a remedy for Headache and Debility. My wife has also used it with the greatest benefit."

Mr. A. S. Nicholson, of Pittsburgh, also remarks that he has experienced much relief from its use for Headache.

Take a half tea-spoonful three times a day, an hour before meals. Eat moderately, and then of wholesome food, and you will find this is really a remedy for Sick and Nervous Headache, Weakness of any kind, Costiveness and Piles. Being perfectly simple in composition, it may be taken without fear by the invalid. Possessing a fine aromatic flavor, it is very grateful to the debilitated stomach.

TO THE MILLION.—Prof. Wood, of St. Louis, has, after years of deep study and and untiring research, succeeded in presenting to the public an article superior to any now in use, and indeed it is truly a wonderful discovery—we advert to his Hair Restorative; the only article that has been completely successful in cheating age of his gray locks, removing dandruff, itching, scrofula, &c. It restores the gray-headed to more than the original beauty adds new lusture to locks already luxuriant having the effect on coarse, harsh hair to render it glossy and watery; fastens permanently hair that is loose or falling, and many other qualities which will become known as soon as used.

The pride of mankind is singularly developed in the keeping and arrangement of the hair; perhaps from the fact that it is the only portion of the human body that we can train in any way we choose; how importent then, having this portion left to our care, that we should use all the means science has placed in our hands to render it beautiful and permanent. If you would have beautiful hair, glossy hair, permanent hair, hair with its natural color elegantly preserved to extreme old age, don't fail to purchase Wood's Hair Restorative—[Daily Iowa State Gazette. ☞ Sold by Dr. O. Cunningham, of Beaver, and Druggists generally.

A Recipe that Rarely ever fails to cure a cold.—Now, while winter, with its burthen of Colds and Coughs, is with us, we think a remedy that will relieve such visitations should be highly prized, and all who know the worth of this remedy, will do as we do—prize it doubly. Take a double dose of Dr. Sanford's Invigorator, and it will give greater relief than any other medicine we ever tried, for we have rarely to repeat the dose to be entirely free from Cough, and as soon as the lungs have time to throw off the collected matter, the cure is complete. As a family medicine, for the cure of Bowel Diseases, Worms, Derangement of the Stomach and Liver, we can recommend it knowingly.

☞ Sold by Dr. O. Cunningham of Beaver, and Druggists generally.

BEAVER MARKET

BEAVER, April 15 1857

(Corrected Weekly)

FLOUR—Per hundred	$3.50
RYE FLOUR—per cwt	2,00
BUCKWHEAT—per cwt	3,00
WHEAT—per bushel	1,20
RYE—per bushel	62
CORN—per bushel	62½
OATS—per bushel	31a33
BEEF—round	6
PORK—round	7
BUTTER—per pound	25
EGGS—per dozen	12½
POTATOES—per bushel	1,25

PITTSBURGH MARKET

PITTSBURGH, April 14 1857

FLOUR—Ex. $5,56a5,75; Family 5,87a$6	
WHEAT—per bushel	1,1[illegible]a1,25
CORN—per bushel	0a63
RYE—per bushel	[illegible]a65
OATS—per bushel	43a45
HAY—per ton	$[illegible]a15
POTATOES—per bushel	$1,25
BUTTER—per pound	[illegible]a25
EGGS—per dozen	[illegible]a14
BACON—shoulders 9½; hams 12; sides 11	

Notice.

To the School Directors of Beaver County

GENTLEMEN:—In pursuance of the 43d section of the Act of 8th May, 1854, you are hereby notified to meet in Convention, at the Court House in the borough of Beaver, on the first Monday in May, 1857, being the fourth day of the month, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and select, viva voce, by a majority of the whole number of Directors present, one person of literary and scientific attainments, and of skill and experience in the art of Teaching, as County Superintendent, for the three succeeding years; determine the amount of compensation for the same, and certify the result to the State Superintendent at Harrisburg: as required by the 39th and 40th sections of said act.

S. H. PIERSOL,
april 15 1857 County Superintendent.

We are requested to announce JAMES R. WILSON, of Borough tp., as a candidate for the Superintendency of the Common Schools of Beaver county.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Beaver County, No. 239, March Term, 185

IN the matter of the Lunacy of Alexander M'Donald.

June 30, 1856, Final account of Committee filed March 9, 1857. Account confirmed nisi causa, before next Term, and ordered to be published according to Rule 34, relating to assignees and trustees.

A true extract from the Record.

Attest: M. S. QUAY, Pro.

Persons interested will take notice that Wm. M'Donald, jr., Committee of Alexander M'Donald, a Lunatic, has filed his final account as such committee in the office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Beaver county, and that said account will be allowed by the Court, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the first day of next term, June 1st, 1857. M. S QUAY, Pro.

april 15 1857.

Star copy and charge Wm. M'Donald, jr.

Notice.

THE regular annual meeting for the election of Directors of the Darlington Cannel Coal Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Darlington, on Tuesday, May 19, 1857. JOHN WHITE, Pres. pro tem.

18April 15 1857.

NOTICE

TO TAX-PAYERS OF BEAVER COUNTY.

THE County Treasurer will attend in the several Townships and Boroughs, for the purpose of receiving the County and State Taxes for 1857, at the times and places designated below; viz:

Patterson township	May 18 at	A Robertson's
New Brighton bor.	" 19	M Gilliland's
Fallston	" 20	Toll House
Freedom	" 21	S Furnier's
Phillipsburg	" 22	F. Le Goullon
Harmony township	" 25	Economy hotel
Rochester "	" 26	W D Johnson's
Rochester borough	" 27	do
Industry township	" 28	J Ross' hotel
Glasgow borough and Ohio township	" 29	Smith's hotel
Borough	June 2	Treasu'rs office
Georgetown borough and Greene tp.	" 8	C Calhoun's store
Brighton tp	" 9	D Morgan's
Pulaski	" 10	Wm Wallace's
New Sewickly	" 11	A Hunters store
Economy	" 12	Breitenstein's
do	" 13	Widow Bryan's
Franklin	" 16	A Morton's
Marion	" 17	G Hartzell's
North Sewickly	" 18	J J Hazen's
Big Beaver	" 22	Widow Miller's
Chippewa	" 23	R Douthitt's
Darlington borough	" 24	Boyd's hotel
do tp	" 25	Rev. Dilworth's
South Beaver	" 26	J Lawrence's
do and Ohio	" 29	S Brigg's
Ohio township	" 30	M Daringer's
Hookstown bor. & Greene tp	July 1	J Patterson's hotel
do	" 2	do
Raccoon township	" 3	T Parkinson's
Hanover	" 7	R Patton's
Frankfort	" 8	Steven's hotel
do	" 9	F Swearingen's
Moon	" 10	Wm Elliott's
Independence	" 14	John Holmes
do and Hopewell	" 15	M'Callisters sto.
Hopewell township	" 16	M'Kenzies store Scottsville

N B. Payments can always be made in any adjoining township. H. B. ANDERSON, Treasurer.
april 15 1857

In the Court of Common Pleas, of Beaver County, No 239, March Term, 1845.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Beaver county, that Wm. M'Donald jr, Committee of Alexander M'Donald, a Lunatic, has presented his petition to said Court for a discharge from the duties and liabilities of his appointment as such committee, and that the first day of next Term, (June 1st, 1857) is fixed for the hearing of the petition.

By order of Court. M. S. QUAY, Prothonotary.
april 15 1857

Orphan's Court Sale
OF REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of the county of Beaver, will be exposed to sale at public vendue or outcry, on the premises on Saturday the 9th day of May, 1857, at 2 o'clock, P. M., all the following described messuage, piece or parcel of land, with the appurtenances, late the estate of John Frederick Elias, dec'd, situate in North Sewickly tp., and county aforesaid; bounded on the north by land of Lewis Bunzo, east by land of Sherlock Stone, south by land of Edward Coleman and west by land of William Coleman, containing twenty-six acres of land, more or less, upon which is one good dwelling house and barn; about 22 acres cleared and under fence; five acres good creek bottom, the other green-producing land, the balance enclosed and well timbered, a number of apple trees on the premises, the premises well watered.

TERMS.—One third of the purchase money on the confirmation of sale by the Court, and the balance in two equal annual instalments, with interest from same time. For information enquire of AUGUSTUS PALAND, Adm'r.
or JOSEPH H. WILSON, Beaver.

Attest: WM. K. BODEN, Cl'k.

Choice Farm for Sale.

BY order of Orphans' Court of the county of Beaver, will be sold at public vendue, on the premises, on Friday the 19th day of June, 1857, at 2 o'clock P. M., one hundred acres of land, the farm of John Wise, dec'd, situate in Franklin Township, Beaver County, on the State road leading from Pittsburgh to New Castle: 80 acres improved and under good fence, 20 acres good white oak timber land, a good two story dwelling house, good new frame bank barn with stone wall and stabling underneath. Some 120 choice bearing apple trees, many of them grafted winter fruit, some pear, quince and a variety of cherry trees. Several never failing springs, springhouse, stables, shops, &c., on the premises; near the flouring and other mills on Slipperyrock creek. Soil productive and situation healthful.

TERMS.—One third of the purchase money on the confirmation of sale by the Court, one third in one year therefrom, with interest, and one third to be held on annual interest till decease of the intestates widow. For information enquire of JOSEPH H. WILSON, Beaver,
Trustee of sale,
ANDREW H. ZEIGLER, Harmony,
JOHN ZEIGLER, near the premises.

Attest, W. K. BODEN, Cl'k. (Star copy.)
apr 8 1857

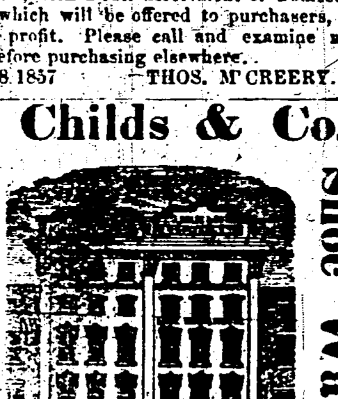
New Goods.

JUST received, from Philadelphia, and now opening, the handsomest assortment that I have been able to offer. All kinds of Dress Goods, Silks, Challis, Organdy's, Ducats, painted Brilliants, fancy Robes, some of which are entirely new designs, Stella Shades and Mantillas, French Needle work and Mourning collars, Bonnets, Ribbons and Hosiery Gloves, Kid finish, &c., with a full assortment of Domestic Goods, which will be offered to purchasers, at a small profit. Please call and examine my goods before purchasing elsewhere.

april 8 1857 THOS. M'CREERY.

H. Childs & Co.,

Wholesale Shoe Warehouse,



NO. 133, WOOD STREET,
Pittsburgh, Pa.,

ARE now receiving their large and splendid stock of

Boots and Shoes,

PALM LEAF HATS AND BONNETS,
Of every description and variety of latest styles and fashions, adapted to
SPRING AND SUMMER SALES,
Having been purchased principally
FOR CASH, at the lowest possible prices, direct from the Eastern Manufacturers, we feel confident that we cannot be

Undersold

by any regular house, either in New York, Philadelphia, or Baltimore.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS

visiting Pittsburgh, either to make purchases, or on their way, East, are respectfully invited to examine our stock before buying elsewhere.

apr 8 1857. H. CHILDS & CO.

TO INVALIDS.

DR. GALVIN M. FITCH,

Author of the Invalid's Guide and Consumptive's Manual &c., &c.

Will be at the ST. CLAIR HOTEL, Pittsburgh, Penn'a, from *Monday Morning, March 16th, to Saturday Evening, May 16th*, 1857,

WHERE he may be consulted daily, Sabbath excepted, for Consumption, Asthma, Chronic Bronchitis, &c. Also for Dyspepsia, Female Diseases, and other affections connected with or predisposing to Consumption

If, from any cause, DR FITCH should be unable to remain during the whole of the period above named, the appointment will be concluded by his associate, Dr. J. W. SYKES.

Those intending to consult Dr. Fitch are particularly requested to apply as early as possible, for on the occasion of his former visits Dr. Fitch has found it utterly impossible to give all the attention he could have desired to the number who delayed visiting him until the last, and so thronged upon him during the last few days of his appointments.

And Dr. Fitch wishes it furthermore distinctly understood, that although he considers Consumption a curable disease, and treats it as such, still that he does not pretend to raise the dead, nor to cure patients who have neither lungs nor constitution left, and those who wish treatment from him must apply reasonably early in the course of their disease. And he would add, also, that both himself and his associate are accustomed to tell those applying their real situation; nor need any apply who are unprepared or unwilling to learn the truth A curative treatment will, of course, only be undertaken in cases where there seems some chance of remedy. In cases where there is none, the treatment must of course be merely palliative.

Consultation, personally or by letter, free.

OFFICE HOURS 10 TO 4 DAILY.

St. Clair Hotel, Pittsburgh, Apr. 8, '57.

Notice

IS hereby given that the Directors of the Independent School District will meet at the lower School House, in the Borough of Beaver, on Wednesday, April 22, 1857, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of receiving applications for the several schools, and examining said applicants. By order of the Board.

J. C. WILSON, Sec.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of John Frederick Elias, late of North Sewickly tp., Beaver county, dec'd, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement, to the subscriber in North Sewickly tp.

AUGUSTUS PARLANT, Adm'r.
apr. 8 1857*

Field and Garden SEEDS.

BY the pound, pint, &c. For sale by A. S. HARVEY,
No. 3, Stewart's Row, Bridgewater.

Notice.

THE subscriber respectfully informs dealers in Queensware and Grocers, of Pittsburgh and surrounding country, that his next and last trade sale this season of Queensware and Fancy Goods, will be on Thursday, April 30, 1857, at a quarter to 10 o'clock A. M. The assortment will be extensive, including stock now unpacking, and 65 crates to arrive per ship Stalwart, from Philadelphia. Country dealers will do well to attend this closing sale. Terms made known at sale

W. G. M'CARTNEY,
No 145 Wood Street, Pittsburgh.
April 1, 1857.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between Drs. Simpson and Stewart, of New Brighton, Pa., is this day by mutual consent dissolved. Dr Simpson may be consulted here after by his friends at his office in Rochester, and Dr Stewart at his office, (the former office of Simpson and Stewart,) New Brighton.

W. W. SIMPSON,
THOS. STEWART.
March 28, 1857.*

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of James Laird, dec'd, late of Hopewell tp., Beaver county, Pa., are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them, properly authenticated for settlement, to the subscriber in the same township. ALICE LAIRD,
April 1, 1857. Adm'x.

ELECTION.

THE Stockholders of the Company for erecting a bridge over Big Beaver Creek, at or near Wolf Lane, in the county of Beaver, are hereby notified that an election for one President, six Managers and a Treasurer, will be held in the Toll House of said Company, on the last Monday, the 27th day of April next, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. JAMES ALLISON,
March 25, 1857. Treasurer.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership existing between the undersigned was dissolved by mutual consent on the 26th day of November last. All persons indebted are requested to call at the office of the late firm and settle their accounts. Prompt payment of all debts will be expected.

JOHN ALLISON,
A. STEWART
M. T. KENNEDY.
march 25 1857.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of Alex. Laird, dec'd, late of Hopewell tp., Beaver co., are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them to the subscriber, properly authenticated for settlement.

GEORGE LAIRD, Executor.
March 18, 1857.

THOS. KENNEDY, JR. .... JOHN T. SHANE.

THOMAS KENNEDY JR. & CO.,
No 62, Cor Woood and 4th sts,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

WE are now opening a large and well selected stock of FANCY and VARIETY GOODS including Combs, Thread, Willow-ware, Toys, Looking Glasses and Jewelry of all kinds. As we manufacture our own looking Glasses, we are enabled to sell them as low as they can be bought in any market. We invite the attention of purchases before going east or buying elsewhere. Particular attention paid to orders.

Mar 4, 1857.

PHILIP REYMER .... ROBT. J. ANDERSON.

REYMER & ANDERSON

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
Foreign Fruits, Nuts, Spices, Confectionary
SUGARS, FIRE WORKS, &c.
Oranges and Lemons received weekly.
No. 39, Wood street,
Opposite the St. Charles Hotel,
March 4, '57. PITTSBURGH, PA.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of John Sheick, late of Hopewell township, Beaver county, dec'd, are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber living in said township, and those having claims against said estate will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

Mar 4, 1857. JAMES IRONS, Ex'r.

BLACK and tan colored Gaiters, for Ladies and Misses, at the Shoe store of BARNES & NICHOLSON,
de18 Stewart's Row, Bridgewater.

May Appointments

DR. H. TUBBS,

Will be at his room, Bridgewater, Lehmer's Hotel, Monday, May 4th, 1857.

For consultation, upon all diseases of the Throat, Lungs, Heart, Liver, Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys and Spleen; also Dropsy, Gravel, Rheumatism, Nervousness, Debility, Dyspepsia, Female diseases, Ague and Fever, Fits, Impurities of the blood, Eruptions, Cancers, Ulcers, and all other varieties of long standing complaints, both external and internal.

For some ten years Dr. T. has devoted his entire time to chronic diseases, treating thousands annually, many of whom had exhausted every other resource within reach. In no case are mineral or other poisons employed, nor does he make sick to make well, or tear down to built up again. The medicines can be taken with safety by the most delicate, and patiens may remain at home, and continue with prudence their ordinary diet and excercise. Many have recovered under the treatment after friends and physicians had given up all hope; the indisputable evidence of which can always be furnished. Invalids, however reduced or despairing, are invited to call, and may be assured that no encouragement will be given or expense incurred, without a corresponding prospect of recovery.

HEART DISEASE:

Affections of this vital organ being generally thought incurable, we subjoin the following from an old resident of Seneca county, O.

Butternut Ridge, Seneca co., Nov. 1856.

Dr. Tubbs—Dear Sir:—My son, Simon Jackson, having been restored to health by your treatment, a sense of gratitude to you, as well as a desire to benefit others, make it my duty to certify to yourself and the public generally, that he was afflicted with an acute Rheumatic affection, resulting, after much suffering, in dropsy of the chest and disease of the heart, with violent palpitation. For weeks he was unable to lie down at all, and as everything which had been done for him was of no avail, whatever, we were about despairing entirely of his recovery. But I am happy to say that your remedies and treatment were entirely successful, effecting a radical cure; and there has been no return of that disease up to this time which is now about two years.

I am, very respectfully, your friend and obedient servant, JOSEPH JACKSON.

JOSEPH PUMMER,

Wholesale Dealer in

BOOTS, SHOES,

Hats Caps, & [illegible] Bonnets

No. 105 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Penna.

HAS now on hand is receiving the largest fresh stock of Goods, that has been brought to this market for years.

Consisting of a complete assortment of Men's Boy's Youth's, and Children's Kip, Calf and Thick Boots, Men's Boy's, and Youth's Borgans, Women's and Misses' Calf, Coat, Enameled and Kip Boots, Buskins, Gaiters, and Children's Boots and Shoes. Also Gum Shoes of every discription, together with a large assortment of Fur, Pearl, Kossuth and Wool Hats, Caps, &c

The above stock was purchased early in the Season, prior to the great advance, for cash, direcly from the Eastern manufactures and will be sold on as favorable terms as any of the New York or Philadelphia houses. Merchants will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock before maping their purchases in this market or going East.

Sept. 17. 1856.

Fruit and Ornamental Trees

THE subscriber invites the attention of those designing to plant trees this spring, that they can be supplied with a good assortment of Apples, best adapted to our soil and climate, Peaches, Pears, Cherries, Quinces, Gooseberries, Raspberries, Strawberries and Grapes. Also ornamental trees, Shrubbery, Osage Orange, for hedges, &c. The best time for spring planting is from the 10th of this month to the 10th of April.

THOS. THORNILEY.
Fallston, March 4 1857.

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Spring Goods.

T. M. TAYLOR, Rochester on the hill, has just opened an unusually large and varied stock of Spring Goods, embracing silks, delaines, challices, debeges, French ginghams, embroideries, hosiery, gloves, shawls, bonnets, shoes &c., together with a full stock of Domestic and house keeping goods, to which the attention of the public is very respectfully invited march 18 1857.

WALL PAPER.

W. P. MARSHALL & CO.
At No. 87, Wood street, Pittsburgh,

Are now opening a large and new stock of PAPER HANGING of every description for the Spring Trade, suitable for
Drawing Rooms,
Parlors,
Dining-Rooms,
Halls and
Chambers.

Embracing the newest designs of pattern. Also Window Shades in great variety, at prices that will suit the Country Trade.

Mar 4, 1857.

Sale of Real Estate

I wish to sell my property, which is near the village of Industry, Beaver county, Pa., The property is one and one-fourth acres of land, on which is erected one large Dwelling House, well finished, having three rooms and a store-room on the first floor, and five rooms above stairs; also a large cellar. There are, on said premises, a stable, smokehouse and a well of excellent water at the door. The property is about three hundred yards from the station on the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad.—Any person wishing to follow the mercantile business will not find a better situation in Beaver county. Any person desiring any information in relation to the above property can have it by applying to the subscriber on the premises. feb 25 1857 C. H. HAYS.

SAMUEL FAHNESTOCK

Importer and Dealer in Hardware,

No. 71 Wood street, between Diamond Alley and Fourth street, Pittsburgh, Pa,

THE subscriber is now receiving from England and American Manufacturers, his spring stock of Hardware, consisting in part of knifes, forks, pen and pocket knifes, spoons, locks, hinges, screws, files, scythes, corn hoes, carpenters tools, chain pump fixtures, &c., &c. All of which will sold on the lowest terms.

Mar. 11. 1857. SAMUEL FAHNESTOCK.

AUCTIONEER.

The undersigned having been appointed Crier for the Court of the County of Beaver, will in Connectoin with this duty offer his services to the public ganerally, as an auctioneer for the sale of both personal and real estate. He has for a number of years been engaged in the auctioneering business and has an acquaintance with it in all its details.

Persons desiring my services will please giv menotice at Philisburgh Water Cure Post office Beaver Co. Pa. or New Sheffield Beaver Co. Pa before advertising their sales.

Febl. 1857. Wm. Shrodes.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of Thompson Johnston, dec'd, late of South Beaver township, Beaver county, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them to the subscriber, properly authenticated for settlement, GEORGE W. BARCLAY,
march 11 1857 Executor.

SHOULD you want a shawl (and what lad does not?) either brocha, Bay State, long or square, call at TAYLOR'S.

Dry Goods.

NOW opening, the handsomest assortment that we have ever been able to offer, at the sign of the

ORIGINAL BEE HIVE,
No. 74, Market Street, Pittsburgh.

Extra super dress SILKS, and all kinds of Dress Goods, some of which are entirely new designs.

SHAWLS AND MANTILLAS.

A magnificent assortment of all the varieties of the season.

FRENCH NEEDLE WORK.

a full and complete stock of Mourning Goods of every description.

Bennets, ribbons, hosiery, gloves, mitts, 'kerchiefs and all kinds of small wares.

DOMESTICS.

Muslins, prints, ginghams, tickings, checks, satinetts, tweeds, jeans, cottonades and every other article usually kept in a first class Dry Goods house. As we visit the Eastern cities from six to eight times a year, and my brother and former partner is now residing in the East, visitors to our house may rely on always finding a well assorted stock, and all the novelties of the season Please call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

C. HANSON LOVE,
Formerly Young Stevenson & Love, and Love Brothers. March 25 1857.

1857 SPRING 1857

A. A. MASON & CO.

Importers, Jobbers and Retailirs,

ARE now opening and receiving one of the largest and most complete assortments of SPRING GOODS in this country. Their stock of

DRESS GOODS

comprises many novelties; a large assortment of silks, shawls grenedines, poplins, organdies, ducals, cambrics, jaconets, chillies, beraiges, laws, delaines, persians, ginghams, brilliantes, de baiges, argentines, grenadine and organdie robes, mouslin de Chine and jaconet do.

Embrouderies and White Goods,

of every description, hosiery and gloves of every variety. Gents furnishing goods. A full stock of dress and mantilla trimmings. Linen and cotten sheetings, damasks, table cloths, napkins, towelings, diapers, quilts, counterpaines, lace and muslin curtains, piano covers, brocatels, and morsens,

Millinery Goods.

Flowers, an extensive assortment of ribbons, ruches, crapes, laces, frames, &c.

Straw Goods

A complete stock of straw, braid and lace, bonnets, flats, &c.

A full assortment of variety goods, cloths, cassimeres, vestings, summer stuffs, 300 cases and bales of calicoes, ginghams, checks, tweeds, jeaues, tickings, muslins, umbrellas, parasels &c.

Having now the most extensive facilities for manufacturing silk bonnets and mantillas, ladies skirts, &c., they will be enabled to offer superior styles at less than eastern rates. Merchants orders solicited for all kinds of goods; and prices guaranteed as low as the largest eastern houses. [mar 11'57] A. A. MASON & CO.

Hats Caps and Straw Goods.

No. 73 Wood Street, Pittsburgh Pa

To the citizens of Beaver and vicinity.

IN visiting our city to lay in your stock of goods for the coming season, I would be pleased to see you at my Hat and cap establishment, and would like to show you my Spring and Summer stock of hats and caps; also, every description of straw goods, as I feel confident I can make it to your advantage to purchase your goods in our line from me. My stock is large and all fresh, bought this spring principally for cash, consisting in part of fashionable silk and beaver hats, cloth casimere and glazed caps, Men's and Boys' wool hats of every description, men's and boys' soft cassimere hats of all shapes and colors, Panama, Marracaibo, Carracco and Granada hats. Pedal, Ruland, Canton and Florence Braid Hats, Leghorn hats of all colors, childrens fancy straw hats and caps ladies and misses hats. All of which I offer at the very lowest eastern prices.

mar. 18 '57. CHAS H. PAULSON

NEW STORE!

M'CONNELL & BENTEL,

(Successors to P. Bentel)

HAVE just opened one of the largest and best stock of Goods ever opened in Freedom, and intend to keep on hand every variety of *Dry Goods, Hardware, Queensware, Hats, Caps and Bonnets,*

Groceries and Provisions of all kinds. We flatter ourselves that we can sell as cheap if not cheaper than any other establishment of the kind in the county.

We invite all to call and see us and be convinced that we do sell cheap goods.

All kinds of produce taken in exchange for goods, and the highest prices paid for the same M'CONNELL & BENTEL.
(Opposite P Bentel's old stand.) Star Copy.
March 11, 1857.

WOLFF & LANE,

Importers and Dealers in
HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,
Sign of the Circular Saw.
Cor. Liberty and St Clair Sts,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

Have now in store a full assortment of goods in the above line adapted to the spring trade, and comprising every variety of cutlery, saddlery and mechanics tools, to which they invite the attention of buyers.

Especial attention is given to keeping a full assortment of carpenters, coopers, millwrights, wagon makers, turners, blacksmith and saddler's tools, pump chains, pump tubbing and fixtures, rifle barrels, mill, cross cut and circular saws; house trimmings, steel forks, shovels, chains, scythes, snaths, rakes sickles, &c

They have also been appointed agents for the sale of machinery, belting and lace leather, of which they have constantly on hand

Mar. 11 1857.

BOOTS, SHOES,
HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, &C.

THE subscriber is now receiving directly from the the New England manufacturers, one of the very best selected and largest stock of goods ever brought to this market, consisting of mens,' womens,' misses and children's boots, shoes and gaiters. Also, mens, boys and children's Wool, Fur, Kossuth Magyar, Hungarian, Artist. Pearl, Leghorn, Panama, Rutland, Canton, Braid and Palm Leaf Hats, together with a complete assortment of woman and misses Spring and Summer Bonnets. Having purchased directly from the manufactories for cash he is determined to sell the same upon terms that cannot fail to meet the wants of buyers, and is prepared to offer, both as to stock and terms unprecedented bargains to all those who may favor him with a call. He proposes selling upon terms as favorable as those of any reliable eastern house, and will duplicate Phil. or New York bills.

JOSEPH PLUMMER, No Wood st.
march 4, 1857 Pittsburgh, Pa.

Look Here!

JUST received from the East our New Stock

WALL PAPER

Larger than ever before. New style

POSITIVELY AT CITY PRICES.

We call your attention, specially, to a lot of $3000 BOLTS AT 10 AND 12 CENTS per piece. Do not overlook the fact that you may here get an additional Bolt, if necessary, or return what you have bought too much.

ALSO, a good assortment of books, stationery, fancy goods, varieties, &c.

BOOKS NOT ON HAND

we will get in a day or two, without raising the price they command in the city.

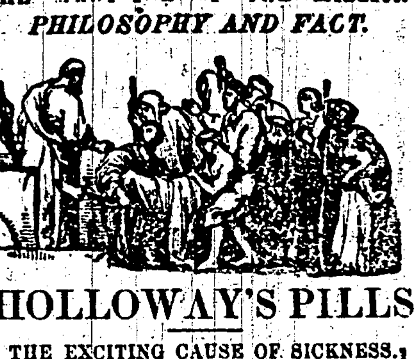
TERMS—Cash or produce.

BRIDGEWATER BOOKSTORE
Bridgewater, March 3, 1857.

KID and French Morocco Buskins, a very fine article, at the Shoe store of BARNES & NICHOLSON,
de18 Stewart's Row, Bridgewater.

THE MEDICINE OF THE MILLION

PHILOSOPHY AND FACT.



HOLLOWAY'S PILLS

THE EXCITING CAUSE OF SICKNESS.

The blood is the life-sustaining agent. It furnishes the components of flesh, bone, muscle, nerve and integument. The stomach is its manufactory, the veins its distributors, and the intestines the channel through which the waste matter rejected in its productions is expelled. Upon the stomach, the circulation and the bowels, these Pills act simultaneously, relieving indigestion, purifying the fluids, and regulating the excretions.

THE NATIONAL COMPLAINT.

Dyspepsia is the most common disease among all classes in this country. It assumes a thousand shapes, and is the primary source of innumerable dangerous maladies; but whatever its type or symptoms, however obstinate its resistance to ordinary preparations, it yields readily and rapidly to this searching and unerring remedy.

BILIOUS AFFECTIONS.

The quantity and quality of the bile are of vital importance to health. Upon the liver, the gland which secretes this fluid, these Pills operate specifically, infallibly rectifying its irregularities, and effectually curing Jaundice, Bilious Remittants, and all the varieties of disease generated by an unnatural condition of gorhaet. n

BOWEL COMPLAINTS

Unless the bowels perform their functions properly, the whole body suffers. Tens of thousands die annually of Dysentery, Diarrhœa Chronic Constipation, and other diseases of these waste pipes of the system. The effect of the Pills upon all intestinal disorders, whether casual or epidemic, is a phenomenon in medicine. By following the printed directions, the most alarming cases of bowel complaint are promptly controlled.

A WORD TO FEMALES.

The local debility and irregularities which are the especial annoyances of the weaker sex, and which, when neglected, always shorten life, are relieved for the time being, and prevented for the time to come, by a course of this mild but thorough alternative.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following Diseases:

Asthma,
Bowel Comp'ts,
Coughs,
Colds
Chest Diseases,
Costiveness,
Worm, all kinds,
Dyspepsia,
Diarrhœa,
Dropsy,
Debility,
Fever and Ague,
Female Compl'ts,
Liver Compl'ts,
Lowness of Spirits.
Indigestion,
Influenza,
Inflammation,
Veneral Affe'n
Piles,
Headaches,
Inw'd weau's

*** Sold at the Manufactories of Professor HOLLOWAY, 80 Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London, by all respectable Druggists and Dealers of Medicine throughout the United States, and the civilized world in boxes, at 25 cents, 62½ cents, and $1 each.

There is a considerable saving by taking the largest sizes.

N. B. Directions for the guidance of patients n every disorder are affixed to each box. feb.18

CAUTION!—None are genuine unless the words "Holloway, New York and London," are discernible as a water-mark in every leaf of the book of directions around each pot or box; the same may be plainly seen by holding the leaf to the light. A handsome reward will be given to any one rendering such information as may lead to the detection of any party or parties counterfeiting the medicines or vending the same, knowing them to be spurious.

W. P. MARSHALL & CO.,

DEALERS IN
PAPER HANGINGS

Exclusively, now offer at their Store Room *No 87, Wood St. Pittsburgh, Pa.,*

A new stock of parlor, hall, dining room, Chamber and office paper, also assembly rooms, ceiling and panel decorations, wood and marble imitations; together with everything in the line of paper hangings. Also a large stock of window shades, to which the attention of country dealers is directed. Special inducements offered to cash buyers. sept 24 1856

STEAM Engines and Boilers—Engines with the latest improvements, warranted best quality, on hand and made to order. Boilers of Juniata Iron, made on short notice. Orders filled with despatch at 319, Liberty st. Pittsburg
may 21 1856. W W WALLACE.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of John Wolf, dec'd, late of Brighton township, Beaver county, are requested to make payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them to the subscribers, properly authenticated for settlement. ABRAHAM B. WOLF,
WILLIAM G. WOLF,
February 25 1857 Executor.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.

SIR JAMES CLARKE'S

Celebrated Female Pills.

Prepared from a prescription of Sir James Clarke, M. D. Physician Extraordinary to the Queen. This invaluable Medicine is unfailing in the cure of all those painful and dangerous diseases incident to the female constitution.

It moderates all excess, removes all obstructions, and brings on the monthly period with regularity. These Pills should be used two or three weeks previous to confinement; they fortify the constitution, and lessen suffering during labor, enabling the mother to perform her duties with safety to herself and child.

These Pills should not be taken by females during the FIRST THREE MONTHS of Pregnancy as they are sure to bring on Miscarrige, but at any other time they are safe.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, pain in the Back and Limbs, Heaviness, Fatigue in Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Lowness of Spirits, Hysterics, Sick Headache, Whites and all the painful diseases occasioned by a disrodered system, these Pills will effect a cure when all other means have failed, and although a powerful remedy, do not contain iron, calomel, antimony or any other mineral.

Full directions accompanying each package Price, in the United States and Canada, One Dollar

Sole Agents for this country.

I. C. BALDWIN & Co.,
Rochester, N.Y.

TUTTLE & MOSES, Auburn, N. Y. General Agents.

N. B. $1,00 and 6 postage stamps enclosed to any authorized Agents, will insure a bottle of the Pills by return mail. For sale by C. L. KAISER, Rochester, Pa.

Wolesale Agents FLEMING BROTHER. Pittsburgh Pa. Dec. 12

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.

Skin diseases cannot be cured by lotions and embrocations. A detergent capable of reaching and neutralizing the scources of irritation that lie under the superficial integuments can alone eradicate these unsightly disorders. Holloway's Ointment, when rubbed upon the surface, quickly disappears. It dives down to the neuclus of the malady, and reduces outward inflamation by extinguishing its elements. The cures it accomplishes in cases of Scrofula, erysipelas, salt rheum, mercurial eruptions, blotches boils, ringworm, scald head, and other affections of the skin and glands, are therefore as complete as they are rapid. The operation of the Pills upon the internal organs is of the same thorough character.

Superior Clothing, for Men and Boys,

At low rates for Cash.

Extensive arrangements for the Spring trade, at Carnaghan's Clothing Hall and Furnishing Store, Federal St., near the Post Office, Allegheny city, Pa.

UNUSUAL inducements are now being held out to buyers of Fashionable Clothing, at the above place, as a very full stock of new style garments, both in Gents and Boys' wear, has been prepared for the opening of the season. All goods sold at this establishment are of an excellent character, being well sponged and carefully made, even to the commonest article in the stock. A choice variety of price goods, for custom work, is always on hands, embracing the higher grades of French and English Fabrics; and having recently secured the services of a popular Cutter from the East, whose taste and skill have gained him a high reputation among first class establishments in New York and Philadelphia, it is believed that no house in Western Pennsylvania enjoys better facilities for turning out handsome, graceful garments. A full stock of men and boys' white and colored shirts, underwear of silk, wool and cotton. Hosiery, gloves, ties, cravats, &c., will be found at low rates. Cash buyers are invited to examine the stock. March 25, 1857.

SPRING GOODS!

Wilson, McElroy & Co.,

SUCCESSORS TO GEORGE P. SMITH & CO.,
No. 54 Wood Street, Pittsburgh,
Are now receiving a large and varied stock of IMPORTED and

Domestic Dry Goods,

To which the attention of the trade is invited Mar. 4 1857.

Spring Trade for 1857.

B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO

CORNER OF WOOD AND FIRST STREETS,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

Drugs,
Medicines,
Chemicals,
Dye Stuffs,
Paints,

Lard Oil,
Alcohol,
Tanners' Oil,
Sperm Oil,
Whale Oil

Linseed Oil,
Turpentine,
Varnishes,
Brushes,
Spices,

Window Glass,
Glassware,
Perfumery,
Patent Medicines;
Surg. Instruments

MANUFACTURES OF

WHITE LEAD RED LEAD & LITHARGE.

Our White Lead, ground in Oil, is put up in packages of 25, 50, 100, 200, 300 and 50 pounds, which we guarantee to be strictly pure and full weight not surpassed by any in fineness and whiteness.

Our facilities for the purchase and importation of Drugs, &c: are such as enable us to sell on as favorable terms as Eastern Jobbig Housef.

Feb. 11, 1857.

Farm for Sale.

THE subscriber, living in Hopewell tp., Beaver county, will offer for sale, a tract of land lying on the Ohio river bank, containing about 90 acres. About 44 acres cleared, 30 of which is river bottom. The farm lies opposite Economy station, on the P. Ft. W. & C. R. R., and would be convenient to Pittsburgh, should any one desire it for gardening purposes. On the farm is a small frame house and a large frame barn, &c. For further information inquire of R. L. Baker, Esq., of Economy, or the subscriber living in Logstown Valley.

P. S. If all of the above tract cannot be sold I will sell a part of it. WM, M'DONALD.
March 4 1857.

T. J. CHANDLER .... M. E. GILLESPIE

A CARD.

I have this day associated with me in the practice of Dental Surgery, Dr. M. E. Gillespie, (late of Crestline, Ohio,) under the name of Chandler & Gillespie, where we are prepared to perform all the operations of the profession, in the most approved manner. Teeth from one to full sets inserted in gold or silver plate.—Also full or partial setts on gutta percha vase.

We are also prepared to insert teeth in entire porcelain base, which cannot fail to please the most fastidious, in beauty and cleanliness. We invite attention to our specimens.

All those indebted to me by note or book account, will please call and settle, as I am anxious to close my old books. T. J. CHANDLER.
Rochester, Aug. 6, 1856—6 m.

THE PHILLIPSBURGH WATER CURE ESTABLISHMENT.

THE present physician of this place respectfully informs the citizens of Beaver and the adjoining counties, that he has lately opened and greatly improved the above institution, and carries on successfully, the treatment, by water.

His long experience in that branch of healing art enables him to cure diseases uncontrollable under any other system. He would also notify the public in the neighborhood, that he practices the Alloepathic and Homoepathic systems, and will attend to all calls as a physician and surgeon through the neighborhood

The subscriber being a regular educated physician, and having practiced medicine and surgery during nearly 20 years, is enabled to respond to all reasonable expectations from those that place themselves under his care.

aug. 27, 1856. C. BAEZ, M. D.

LAND WARRANTS—Highest market price paid in gold for 120, 160 and 80 Acre Warrants. Any sent to us, we will deposit the amount to their credit in bank, or remit to them by return of mail, at the market.

WM. A. HERRON & CO.
BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS
Corner of Wood and Sixth streets, Pitts. Pa.

DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofor existing under the name and style of Young & Thomas was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the late firm will be settled up by Wm. Thomas, who will continue the business at the old stand.

P. B. Young.
Feb. 11. 1857. Wm. Thomas.

BRILLIANTS AND LAWNS.—A fresh supply just received, and selling low, at TAYLOR'S,
April 30, 1856. Rochester on the hill.

LADIES SHOES—20 dozen ladies morocco boots. 20 doz. gum over shoes and sandals, just received at TAYLOR'S.
November 19, 1856.

R. P. ROBERTS. .... M. S. QUAY

ROBERTS & QUAY,

Attorneys at Law, Beaver, Penn'a.

DENTAL SURGERY.

J MURRAY would announce to the public that he has, at considerable cost, procured the latest improvements in the profession, and is now prepared to accommodate every variety of public taste.

1st. Single gum-teeth, on gold or silver plate
2d. Block-teeth, on gold plate, presenting a continuous gum.
3d, Indestructible teeth on Gutta Percha base.

As this last is a new mode of inserting teeth, should it fail to render satisfaction after a fair trial, I will replace the work with gold or silver.

Office and residence on Market Street, opposite the Market House, Bridgewater.

Bridgewater, Jan. 2, 1856.

Wm. H. Tacot & Co

(Successors to T. Kennedy, Jr.)
MANUFACTURERS OF ALL KINDS OF
LOOKING GLASSES,
AND DEALERS IN
Imported and Domestic Fancy Goods.
NO. 62 WOOD ST., COR. OF FOURTH
PITTSBURGH, PA.

Gilt Mouldings, Portrait Frames and Looking Glass Plates always on hand.

Nov. 21, 1856.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

OFFICERS OF THE UNITED STATES.

President—James Buchanan.
Vice President—John C. Breckinridge.
Secretary of State—Lewis Cass.
Secretary of Interior—Jacob Thompson.
Secretary of Treasury—Howell Cobb.
Secretary of War—John B. Floyd.
Secretary of Navy—Isaac Toucey.
Post Master General—A. V. Brown.
Attorney General—J. S. Black.
Chief Justice—Roger B. Taney.
Pension Commissioner—L. P. Waldo.

STATE OFFICERS.

Governor—James Pollock.
Sec. of Commonwealth—A. G. Curtin.
Surveyor General—John Rowe.
Auditor General—Jacob Fry Jr.
State Treasurer—H. S. Magraw.
Judges Supreme Court—J. S Black, E. Lewis, W H Lowrie, G W Woodward, J. C. Knox.
U. S. Senators—Richard Brodhead, William Bigler
Canal Commissioners—Henry S Mott, Arnold Plumer, George Scott.

DISTRICT OFFICERS.

President Judge—Daniel Agnew.
Member of Congress—John Allison.
Senator—John R. Harris, Butler county.
Assembly—De Lorma Imbrie, G. P. Shaw, A. W. Crawford.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Associate Judges—Wm. Cairns, John Scott.
District Attorney—Moses B Welsh.
Sheriff—James Darragh.
Prothonotary—M. S. Quay.
Register & Recorder—Samuel B Wilson.
Clerk of Courts—William K Boden.
Treasurer—Hugh B. Anderson.
Surveyor—Azariah Wynn.
Commissioners—William P Phillips, Philip Cooper, Hugh Sutherland.
Clerk to Commissioners—R. H. Agnew.
Court Crier—Wm. Shrodes.
Auditors—Thomas Boggs, James W Pander. John R Eakin.
Poor House Directors—William Edgar, Robt Potter, William Barnes.
Trustees of Academy—Thos. Cunningham, John A M'Gill, Jos. H Dickson, Wm Davidson, R G M'Gregor, John Murray, Charles B Maclay.

Removal.

W. G. CHITTICK & Co.,
HAVE REMOVED TO
No. 164 Market, and No. 35, Merchant Streets,

Where they have now on exhibition A MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT OF AMERICAN DRY GOODS,

Adapted to first-class trade in every section of the country,
BLEACHED SHIRTINGS,
PRINTS,
COTTONADES,
TWEEDS,
JEANS,
SATINETS.

ALSO THEIR
SPRING IMPORTATIONS
OF
Foreign Goods,

Which for Elegance,
Variety and
Cheapness
Is unsurpassed.

CASH AND CLOSE BUYERS
Will find it greatly to their advantage to give this Stock a careful examination before purchasing.

Organdies, Bareges,
Tissues, Jaconets,
Challies, Ducales,
Ginghams, Brilliantines,
Shawls, Embroideries,
Laces, Ribbons,
Hosiery, Linens,
Grenadine Robes,
Organdy Robes,
Jaconet Robes,

CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES,
A large line of Mohair de Deges,
AND
The best make of Corduroy goods Import'd
No. 161, MARKET STREET,
South side, three doors below Fifth street,
feb 25 1857 PHILADELPHIA.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS

At the Rochester Post Office, Pa.

The Western Mail closes at 9½ o'clock A. M.
The Cleveland & Steubenville mail closes at 9½ o'clock A. M.
The Eastern mail closes at 10 o'clock and 20 minutes A. M.
The Beaver mail closes at 12 at noon.

G. W. BLOSS, P. M.

NEW STOCK OF GOODS

Just Received at No. 1, Stewart's Row, Bridgewater.

THE subscriber has received and is now opening a very desirable stock of

FALL & WINTER GOODS,

which he will take pleasure in showing to his old customers and the public generally, Consisting in part of the following articles.

Fr. Cloths, doeskin cassimeres, fancy cassimeres, all wool tweeds, jeans, satin, tweeds, satinetts, corduroy, knit drawers and undershirts, Canton flannels, flannels, gent's gloves, half hose, stocks, cravats, hdk'fs, etc.

He wishes to inform the Ladies that he has a very desirable stock of

Dress Goods and Trimmings,

viz: Black and colored silks, French merinos; thibet cloths, Fr. merino plaids, all wool de laines, coburgs, Parisian twills, debages, de laines, ginghams, prints, collars, undersleeves, shimizetts, bonnets, mantua and waist ribbons, brocha and long shawls, dress trimmings, gloves and hosiery, etc.

Also, groceries, hardware, queensware, boots and shoes, which he will offer at a small advance either for cash or produce. All kinds of produce taken in exchange for goods.

Oct 23, 1855. THOS. ALLISON.

CURTAIN WAREROOM.

A CARD

HAVING received my Spring assortment of Goods, I respectfully invite my friends to [illegible]. My stock consists of Brocotel, satin delaine, English mixed delaine, damasks and [illegible] superb lace curtains; mull do., of all prices, and new styles and finish; rich [illegible] of entirely new patterns, at various prices; Tassels and cords of all kinds, for curtains, gimps, fringes, curtain bands of all patterns; French and English quilts, dimety [illegible]; buff hollands and green do, of all [illegible] shades at very low prices. In [illegible] ware-room will be found an immense stock of beds, mattresses, bolsters and pillows, comforts, sheets, pillow slips, towels, sacking [illegible] chair cushions, settee seats, pew cushions, and every article usually found in an extensive Upholstery Establishment, keeping these [illegible] ready made. I can furnish them at once [illegible] without delay. Carpets made and put down. [illegible] blinds of all kinds; blinds painted and [illegible]. Roller blinds fitted up.

Orders promptly filled and goods carefully packed. WM NOBLE, Upholsterer.

Pittsburgh, April 2, 1856

LOCATING LANDS.

LAND WARRANTS.

THE senior partner of our firm having just returned from Iowa, where arrangements have been made with Messrs. M'CLURE & CO., Dubuque, one of the largest and most responsible locating houses in Iowa, we are now prepared, at the opening of the Land Offices, to

LOCATE LANDS.

Either with money or Land warrants. Persons with means to invest, and wishing to assure a large per centage of profit, cannot do better than invest in LAND AT GOVERNMENT PRICES.

Mechanics and laboring men having a few hundred dollars to invest in lands, or capitalists, desiring to invest largely, cannot do better than by calling on the undersigned.—Our correspondents in Iowa make the selections only through personal inspection.

Dec. 24th 1856. WM. A. HERRON & CO.

BOERHAVE'S
HOLLAND BITTERS

JE MAINTIENDRAI

THE CELEBRATED HOLLAND REMEDY FOR

DYSPEPSIA,

DISEASE OF THE KIDNEYS,

LIVER COMPLAINT,

WEAKNESS OF ANY KIND

FEVER AND AGUE,

And the various affections consequent upon disordered

STOMACH AND LIVER.

Such as Indigestion, Acidity of the stomach, Colicky Pains, Heartburn, Loss of Appetite, Despondency, Costiveness, Blind and Bleeding Piles. In all Nervous, Rheumatic and Neuralgic Affections, it has in numerous instances proved highly beneficial, and in others effected a decided cure.

This is a purely vegetable compound, prepared on strictly scientific principles, after the manner of the celebrated Holland Professor, Boerhave. Because of its great success in most of the European States, its introduction into the United States was intended more especially for those of our fatherland scattered here and there over the face of this mighty country. Meeting with great success among them, I now offer it to the American public, knowing that its truly wonderful medicinal virtues must be acknowledged.

It is particularly recommended to those persons whose constitutions may have been impaired by the continuous use of ardent spirits, or other forms of dissipation. Generally instantaneous in effect, it finds its way directly to the seat of life, thrilling and quickening every nerve raised up the drooping spirit, and, in fact, infusing new health and vigor in the system.

NOTICE.—Whoever expects to find in this beverage will be disappointed, but to the sick weak and low spirited, it will prove a grateful aromatic cordial, possessed of singular remedial properties.

CAUTION.—The great popularity of this delightful Aroma has induced many imitations, which the public should guard against purchasing. Be not persuaded to buy anything else until you have given Boerhave's Holland Bitters a fair trial. One bottle will convince you how infinitely superior it is to all these imitations.

Sold at $1 00 per bottle, or six bottles for $5 00, sold by the proprietors, Benjamin Page, Jr. & Co. Manufacturing Pharmaceutists and Chemists, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. Bestwick,

MANUFACTURER and Wholesale and Retail Dealer in all kinds of

Tin, Copper, and Sheet-Iron Ware,

Jobbing, Roofing, Spouts, &c., made to order.

Shop on Broadway, one door above Apple street, New Brighton, Pa. (ap4)

FRESH FALL GOODS.

THE subscriber having returned from the East, will open, during the present week, a large stock of staple and fancy Dry Goods, embracing the latest and most fashionable styles in the market. T. M. TAYLOR,

Aug27, 1856. Rochester on the hill.

JOHN M. LUKENS, O. F. LUKENS. W. LUKENS.

LUKENS & SONS,

Forwarding and Commission Merchants Rochester, Pa. Agents for steamer Michigan No. 2, between Pittsburgh and Beaver. ap2

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MR. PURVIANCE has the pleasure of announcing to the citizens of Beaver County, that he has permanently located in the Seminary building (lately occupied by Miss Curtiss) in the Borough of New Brighton, where he will always be found ready to wait on his friends and all others who wish artistic and life like Miniatures.

All sizes and styles of Likenesses furnished at less than Pittsburgh prices.

Beautiful and accurate impressions of the smallest children taken by an instantaneous process.

Pictures taken equally as well in cloudy as clear weather.

New Brighton, May 14, 1856.—1 yr.

The Teeth! The Teeth!!

W. M. WRIGHT, M. D., Surgeon Dentist. Office and residence, No. 252, Penn street, Pittsburgh, opposite Christ's M. E. Church.

Dr. Wright's long experience in the practice of Dentistry, has put him in possession of all the improvements in the line of his profession.

Dr. Wright's facilities for dispatching work will enable persons visiting Pittsburgh, to have operations performed during a short stay.

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April 23, 1856.

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Correspondence & Collections Solicited.

Aug. 8, '55.

AT COST.

IN order to prepare for an early Spring trade and to avoid carrying over any Winter goods, to another season, we will offer, for a week, at Eastern cost, our entire stock of

WINTER GOODS,

Consisting in part of French merinoes, coburgs, delaines, all wool and mixed plaids, heavy barred flannels, woolen and broache shawls, caps, Winter bonnets and trimmings, men's winter caps and boots, satinets, flannels, blankets, &c.

We are determined to make all kinds of goods go off in their *proper season*—if not at a profit—*without it.* By pursuing this course our stock will be kept always fresh and seasonable.

Those in want of anything in the line of Winter Goods, are respectfully invited to examine our *stock* and *prices* before purchasing elsewhere.

January 21st, 1857. T. M. TAYLOR,

Rochester, on the Hill.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, I Robert McKibbin, of New Castle, Pa., have taken out letters of administration in the county of Lawrence, on the estate of James M'Kibbin, a pedlar in Beaver county; this is to request all persons who know themselves indebted to the said James M'Kibbin, that I have appointed James Irons, Esq., of Hopewell, my lawful agent to collect any outstanding accounts for me as if I were present. dec. 17, '56 ROBERT M'KIBBIN.

HEAVY Calf Skin Boots for Ladies and Misses, with and without heels, at the Shoe store of BARNES & NICHOLSON,

de10 Stewart's Row, Bridgewater.

KNIT Wool Goods.—Sacks, Hoods, Opera caps, cuffs, sleeves, Ladies' merino vests, victorines &c., just opened at TAYLOR'S.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the School Directors of Ohio Township, Beaver Co., will receive sealed proposals, from this date to March 28th, 1857, for the building of one Frame School House, in said District. Plan of the House can be seen by calling on the undersigned. R. H. BARCLAY,

Jan. 21, 1857. President of the Board.

Low by the Piece.

100 pieces bleached muslins, assorted.
6 bales brown do do.
200 pieces Cocheco and other prints,
50 pieces Lancaster ginghams,

June 4. T. M. TAYLOR.

DENTISTRY.

DR. W. F. FUNDENBERG Having returned from Europe, has resumed the practice of his profession. Office and residence No. 14 Third Street, two doors above Smithfield Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

June 11 1y.

SKIRT and skirting goods, of twenty different varieties, at TAYLOR'S.

PITTSBURGH.

Fall of 1856.

MURPHY & BURCHFIELD,

North-east corner 4th and Market Sts.,

PITTSBURGH,

HAVE now open, their large Fall supply of Family and Fancy DRY GOODS; including the newest styles of Ladies Dress Goods, Cloaks, Mantillas, Shawls, and super-French cloth Cassimeres, Doeskins. All of which will be sold at LOW PRICES. Persons from a distance visiting Pittsburgh at the approaching State Fair, or at any other time, wanting any article in the Dry Goods line, will do well to call with us. Oct. 1, 1856.

BEAVER COUNTY, SS:

IN the Court of Common Pleas of Beaver County, No. 135, March Term, 1857.

In the matter of the petition of Rebecca Jolly for leave to become a feme sole trader. &c.

And now to wit, Jan. 26, 1857, the Court order notice to be given by publication in a newspaper published in this county, three consecutive weeks, and the first day of next Term is fixed for the hearing of the application. A true extract from the Record.

Attest: M. S. QUAY, Pro.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of the above order, that the first day of next term (2d Monday of March) has been fixed for the hearing of the above petition, when the same will be allowed unless cause be shown to the contrary.

Jan. 11. 1857. M. S. QUAY, Pro.

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WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER

TIN COPPER & SHEET IRON WARE
A. BESTWICK

MANUFACTURER AND

IN Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron ware, corner of Broadway and Apple streets, New Brighton, Pa., where may be found a general assortment of the above ware, as good and at prices as low as they can be got at any other house

CALL AND EXAMINE.

Oct. 8, 1856.

CARD.

DECEMBER, 1856.

The partnership of

MURPHY & BURCHFIELD

expiring by limitation in January next, and anxious to close out as far as possible our stock of goods preparatory to the formation of a new partnership, we will commence on

MONDAY, 15th OF DECEMBER,

offering our

ENTIRE STOCK OF GOODS

In both Wholesale and Retail Rooms, at

Reduced Prices.

Some of them at a

SMALL ADVANCE ON COST,

SOME OF THEM AT COST,

and a large portion of them

BELOW COST.

This will probably be one of the best opportunities ever offered in this city of buying

Good Goods at Low Prices,

at private sale, and we invite calls from all wanting any description of

Dry Goods,

Particular attention is invited to our very large stock of

EMBROIDERIES,

In Collars, Sleeves and Sets, all of which have been marked down to closing out prices.

Also, CLOAKS, and CLOAKING CLOTHS, Shawls, Ladies Dress Goods, in Silks, De Laines, Cashmeres, &c.

The place, North east corner of 4th and Market St. dec 24 1856.

FEMALE AGENTS WANTED

IN every Town or Village of the Union, to sell DR. SANFORD'S INVIGORATOR.

Many of our Lady Agents are making more than a living from its sale. No MONEY required until the medecine is sold; simply a good reference accompanying application.

The Invigorator cures SICK HEADACHE.—Take one or two teaspoonsful at each attack and it will soon disappear. For an overloaded stomach, or when food rises or sours, take the Invigorator after eating, and it will not prove disagreeable or oppressive. For Heartburn, Palpitation, or dificult breathing, take a teaspoonful once or twice daily. For loss of Appetite, Languor or Listlessness, the medecine is invaluable. It will restore the Appetite and make the food digest well. NIGHT-MARE—take a teaspoonful on retiring and the demons of dream-land will all be fairies. After eating a hearty dinner, take a dose of Invigorator and it will remove all oppression or fullness. The Invigorator, is a Liver Remedy of unequalled virtue, acting directly on that organ, curing Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Billious Attacks, Dysentery, Piles, Worms, and all Female Obstructions, for which it has no equal.

Any person after using a full bottle of the Invigorator for any of the above named Complaints, without benefit, can call at the Agents and get their money back. Sold at One Dollar per Bottle, by SANFORD & Co., Proprietors, New York, and by Young & Thomas, Beaver, and John Sargent, New Brighton.

Jan. 7, 1857.

David Stanton, M. D. Wm. Stanton, M. D.

DRS. D. & W. STANTON,

RESPECTFULLY offer their services in the practice of medicine and surgery, to the inhabitants of New Brighton, Fallston and vicinity.

Office and lodging in second story of M'Cleery's building, one door North of Merrick House, New Brighton, Pa. April 16, 1856.

ALL persons having unsettled accounts on my old books will confer a favor by calling immediately. D. STANTON.

War is Horrible!

FRIENDS, Citizens and Strangers, TAKE NOTICE—That D. WOODRUFF still continues the MARBLE BUSINESS in all its various branches. Persons wishing any thing to mark 'the last resting place of their friends,' will find it greatly to their interest to give me a call before going to Pittsburgh; as I am determined not to be undersold. Stock of the best Rutland and Italian marble. Jobs finished with dispatch and workmanship warranted. A word to the wise is sufficient. Shop on Bridge street, opposite Dr. Smith's Drug Store.

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CHAIRS! CHAIRS!!

JOHN M'CUNE still continues the manufacture of every kind of plain and ornamental Chairs. Call and examine my stock. Shop opposite Hugh Anderson's Grocery, on 3d street The stock is lower than ever before offered in this market. Old Chairs painted or grained, and made to look as well as new.

Beaver, Dec. 13, 1854.

CHAMBERLIN & CUTHBERTSON,

Attorneys and Counsellors at Law. Office on Broadway, 3d door below Merrick House New Brighton. apr19

FRENCH leather Boots for Ladies and Misses, a new style for winter, made to order, at the Shoe store of BARNES & NICHOLSON,

de10 Stewart's Row, Bridgewater.

AYER'S PILLS.

FOR ALL THE PURPOSES OF A

FAMILY PHYSIC.

THERE has long existed a public demand for an effective purgative pill which could be relied on as sure and perfectly safe in its operation. This has been prepared to meet that demand, and an extensive trial of its virtues has conclusively shown with what success it accomplishes the purpose designed. It is easy to make a physical pill, but not easy to make the best of all pills—one which should have none of the objections, but all the advantages, of every other. This has been attempted here, and with what success we would respectfully submit to the public decision. It has been unfortunate for the patient hitherto that almost every purgative medicine is acrimonious and irritating to the bowels. This is not. Many of them produce so much griping pain and revulsion in the system as to more than counterbalance the good to be derived from them. These pills produce no irritation or pain, unless it arise from a previously existing obstruction or derangement in the bowels. Being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity; but it is better that any medicine should be taken judiciously. Minute directions for their use in the several diseases to which they are applicable are given on the box. Among the complaints which have been speedily cured by them, we may mention Liver Complaint, in its various forms of Jaundice, Indigestion, Languor and Loss of Appetite, Listlessness, Irritability, Bilious Headache, Bilious Fever, Fever and Ague, Pain in the Side and Loins; for, in truth, all these are but the consequence of diseased action in the liver. As an aperient they afford prompt and sure relief in Costiveness, Piles, Colic, Dysentery, Humors, Scrofula and Scurvy, Colds with soreness of the body, Ulcers and impurity of the blood; in short, any and every case where a purgative is required.

They have also produced some singularly successful cures in Rheumatism, Gout, Dropsy, Gravel, Erysipelas, Palpitation of the Heart, Pains in the Back, Stomach, and Side. They should be freely taken in the spring of the year, to purify the blood and prepare the system for the change of seasons. An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, and restores the appetite and vigor. They purify the blood, and, by their stimulant action on the circulatory system, renovate the strength of the body, and restore the wasted or diseased energies of the whole organism. Hence an occasional dose is advantageous, even though no serious derangement exists; but unnecessary dosing should never be carried too far, as every purgative medicine reduces the strength, when taken to excess. The thousand cases in which a physic is required cannot be enumerated here, but they suggest themselves to the reason of every body; and, it is confidently believed this pill will answer a better purpose than any thing which has hitherto been available to mankind. When their virtues are once known, the public will no longer doubt what remedy to employ when in need of a cathartic medicine. Being sugar-wrapped they are pleasant to take, and being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity.

For minute directions see wrapper on the Box.

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CHERRY PECTORAL,

For the rapid Cure of

COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND CONSUMPTION.

THIS remedy has won for itself such notoriety from its cures of every variety of pulmonary disease, that it is entirely unnecessary to recount the evidences of its virtues in any community where it has been employed. So wide is the field of its usefulness, and so numerous the cases of its cures, that almost every section of the country abounds in persons publicly known, who have been restored from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs by its use. When once tried its superiority over every other medicine of its kind is too apparent to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate what antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmonary organs which are incident to our climate. And not only in formidable attacks upon the lungs, but for the milder varieties of COLDS, COUGHS, HOARSENESS, &c.; and for CHILDREN it is the pleasantest and safest medicine that can be obtained.

As it has long been in constant use throughout this section, we need not do more than assure the people its quality is kept up to the best that it ever has been, and that the genuine article is sold by—

AGENTS—Young, & Thomas Beaver, Dr. Smith Bridgewater; C. L Kaiser, Rochester, Dr. Sargent, New Brighton; John Black Darlington, and by all merchants everywhere. Dr. O. Cunningham, Beaver.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of William Lowrey & Co., in the coal mining operations at Clinton works, in Big Beaver tp., Lawrence county, has been duly dissolved, by the withdrawal of William Kennedy and William Lowrey from the concern. The settlement of old matters will be adjusted by us or by our Agent, R. D. Cooper, late manager.

JAS. DUNCAN, Fallston,
WM. KENNEDY, New Brighton.

Dec. 17 1856.

New Castle Gazette copy 3 months and send bill to this office.

Wilson, Childs & Co.

Wholesale Dealers in

DRY GOODS

AND

NOTIONS,

No. 45, Wood St., Pittsburgh, Pa., opposite the St. Charles Hotel.

Are now receiving an unusually large and complete assortment of Dry Goods and Notions, and by the 10th of September will be prepared, to exhibit a very attractive stock, which, by means of a buyer constantly in the market, will be kept full throughout the season.

The attention of the trade is respectfully invited. sept 3, 1856

Look for the Big Watch.

H. T. PATTON

HAS removed his CLOCK & JEWELRY STORE to the old stand, corner of Bridge and Mulberry streets, Bridgewater, where he will keep a good supply of

Clocks,

WATCHES, AND ALL KINDS OF JEWELRY

AT THE LOWEST MARKET PRICE.

30 Hour Brass Clocks at $1.50.

Best Jerome do. $3 to 3.50.

All clocks sold, warranted to keep good time; if not, the money refunded. Also,

Variety Goods

OF ALMOST EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Call and examine my stock.

I would beg leave to thank my customers for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, and I am now prepared to repair all kinds of watches and clocks; all good watches warranted to keep good time, Jewelry neatly repaired at all times. Old gold and silver taken in exchange for work or goods.

Bridgewater, April 17, '53.

LAND WARRANTS.

HIGHEST PRICE paid in gold for Land Warrants. Land Warrants always on hand and for sale. WM. A. HERRON & Co. Bankers and Exchange Brokers, corner of Sixth and Wood streets, Pittsburgh, and

HERRON BROTHERS,

dec 24 1856 Dubuque, Iowa.

Livery Stable.

THE Subscriber having bought the Livery Stock of Young & Jackson, and added several more Horses and Buggies, is now prepared to accommodate the people with good horses and buggies, saddle horses, and anything in his line. Also persons wishing conveyance to and from the cars, will be accommodated at any time, by leaving notice at the stable or at Dr. Smith's Drug Store, in Bridgewater.

Also, Omnibusses and Carriages for funerals &c. JOHN WOODRUFF

Bridgewater, Feb. 20, 1856.

The Greatest Medical Discovery OF THE AGE.

DR. KENNEDY, of Roxbury has discovered in one of our common pasture weeds a remedy that cures every kind of humor, from the worst Scrofula down to a common pimple.

He has tried it in over 1100 cases, and never failed except in two cases. (both thunder humor.) He has now in his possession over two hundred certificates of its virtue, all within twenty miles of Boston.

Two bottles are warranted to cure a nursing sore mouth.

One to three bottles will cure the worst kind of Pimples on the face.

Two or three bottles will clear the system of Biles.

Two bottles are warranted to cure the worst canker in the mouth and stomach

Three to five bottles are warranted to cure the worst cases of Erysipelas.

One to two bottles are warranted to cure all humor in the Eyes.

Two bottles are warranted to cure running of the ears and bloches among the hair.

Four to six bottles are warranted to cure corrupt and running ulcers.

One bottle will cure scaly eruption of the skin.

Two or three bottles are warranted to cure the worst case of ringworm.

Two to three bottles are warranted to cure the most desperate case of rheumatism.

Two or three bottles are warranted to cure the salt rheum.

Five to eight bottles will cure the worst case of Scrofula.

A benifit is always experienced from the first bottle, and a perfect cure is warranted when the above quantity is taken.

Reader, I peddled over a thousand bottles of this in the vicinity of Boston. I know the effect of it in every case. So sure as water will extinguish fire, so sure will this cure humor. I never sold a bottle of it but that sold another; after trial it always speaks for itself. There are two things about this herb that appear to me surprising; first that it grows in our pastures, in some places quite plentiful, and yet its value has never been known until I discovered it in 1846—second, that it should cure all kinds of humor.

In order to give some idea of the sudden rise and great popularity of the discovery, I will state that in April, 1853, I peddled it and sold about six bottles per day—In April 1854, I sold over one thousand bottles per day of it.

Some of the wholesale Druggists who have been in business twenty and thirty years, say that nothing in the annals of patent medicines was ever like it. There is a universal praise of it from all quarters.

In my own practice I always kept it strictly for humors—but since its introduction as a general family medicine, great and wonderful virtues have been found in it that I never suspected.

Several cases of epileptic fits—a desease which was always considered incurable, have been cured by a few bottles. O, what a mercy if it will prove effectual in all cases of that awful malady—there are but few who have seen more of it than I have.

I know of several cases of Dropsy, all of them aged people cured by it. For the various diseases of the Liver, Sick Headache, Dyspepsia, Asthma, Fever Ague, Pain in the Side, Diseases of the Spine, and particularly in diseases of the Kidneys &c., the discovery has done more good than any medicine ever known.

No change of diet ever necessary—eat the best you get and enough of it.

DIRECTIONS—Adults one table spoonful per day—Children over ten years dessert spoonfull. Children from five to eight years, tea spoonful. As no directions can be applicable to all constitutions, take sufficient to operate on the bowels twice a day. Manufactured by

DONALD KENNEDY,
No 120, Warren St. Roxbury, Mass.
PRICE $1.

T. W Dyott & Sons, Philadelphia, Gen. Ag'ts for Pa. For sale by WP Philips, Freedom; C L Kaiser, Rochester; and Dr. S Smith, Bridgewater; General wholesale agents Western Pa., Geo. H. Keyser, 146 Wood St. Pittsburgh, J. P. Flemming Federal St. Allegheny City, Maclay & Young, Beaver.

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BUY, SELL & LOCATE LAND WARRANS

INVEST money for parties at western rates of interest. Taxes paid for residents or non-residents. Investments made in Government lands. Taxes paid, and all trouble and other expenses borne by us, for one-eighth of gross proceeds. Interest, at ten per cent, per annum, allowed on all special deposites, for six months, or longer time.

Parties desiring government on other lands, can rely upon us for a full and correct description of either, and the lowest market rates.

Orders for government lands will be attended to as soon after receipt as possible.

Remittances can be made in drafts on New York, or by depositing money in any good bank in Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington D. C., or Pittsburgh.

Applications made for Des Moines River lands for settlers. Improved and unimproved prairie and timber lands bought and sold. Bills of exchange on Eastern cities bought and sold.

REFERENCES.

Hon Wm F Johnston, pres. A V R R Co., Pittsburgh, Col. Wilson McCandless, do. Robert Anderson, P. M. do; Messrs. Kramer & Rahm. Bankers, do.; Hon Joshua R Giddings, Jefferson, Ohio; A P Lacock, Esq., Beaver, Pa.; Joseph Chamberlain, Cleveland, Ohio; Hon John Allison, New Brighton, Pa.; John Linton, Esq., Rochester, Pa.; Treasurer's Savings Bank Washington, D. C.; Cashier State Bank Ohio, Guernsey Branch; Messrs. Gallaher & Co., Bankers, Washington, D C. may 21, 1856

Bernard House.

No. 94, Fourth street, between Wood and Smithfield, Pittsburgh, Pa.

D. BERNARD, PROPRIETOR.

THIS house is eligibly situated, convenient to business, has just been opened for the reception of guests, is fitted up in the best style. Rooms large and well furnished. The House is conducted upon the European principle; all the delicacies of the market purchased, and charge made in proportion to amounts ordered, with moderate charge for rooms. The Proprietor having long experience in his business, feels confident in being able to render satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage.

Terms always reasonable. A share of patronage is solicited. May 7, 1866.

DALY'S
ORIGINAL FIFTH STREET
Stocking Factory,

(Established 1839.)

Is now at the corner of Fifth Street and Market Alley, Pittsburgh.

WHERE every article in the Hosiery line is manufactured. Wholesale Depot for Bradley's Stocking Yarn. To prevent mistakes and consequent disappointment, remember the corner is the salesroom of our Factory.

Oct. 1, 1866.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between Joseph F. Cunningham and Matthew Gilleland, under the firm of J. F Cunningham & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and Matthew Gilleland is authorized to settle all debts due to and by the said company.

SHOES—The best assortment for ladies misses and children, at TAYLOR'S.

April 16, 1856, Rochester on the hill.

BONNETS of latest style, with trimmings to match, at TAYLOR'S

April 16, 1856 Rochester on the hill.

BRILLIANTS—20 pieces beautiful figured brilliants, at 20 cents per yard.

June 4, 1856. T. M. TAYLOR.

Glad News.

FULL OF HOPE TO THE AFFLICTED AND SUFFERING!

Many of the thousand portals of Death may be closed, and life made happier, and more comfortable to thousands who are now in danger. Doubtless this world contains many a balm to sooth its physical woes and cure its diseases. Among those in prominent rank, stands

BOWMAN'S
VEGETABLE COMPOUND,

A SAFE and speedy cure for Consumption, not only in those milder forms of Throat and Lung Diseases, such as colds, coughs, quinsey, difficulty of breathing, bronchitis, Ministers' sore throat, weakness of the chest, asthma, inward ulcer, spitting of blood, influenza, croup, whooping-cough, pain in the breast and side, hoarseness, catarrh and catarrhal affections, inflammation of the lungs, bleeding of the lungs, and such like. But its superior excellence is seen and tested in the more advanced affections of the lungs. For the truth of the above statement and the efficiency of the preparations as an antidote, we refer the public to the following testimonials:

Language is scarcely strong enough to tell the great power of this

WONDERFUL DISCOVERY!

The doubting may try and be convinced.

The Proprietors point to the following bona fide certificates with confidence on the community; they are but samples of the many hundreds of testimonials in our possession:

Philadelphia, Aug. 15. 1856.—Last spring, while in Pittsburgh, I had a bad cold and cough, which troubled me much, and a friend of mine gave me a bottle of Bowman's Vegetable Compound for diseases of the throat and lungs, which I commenced taking, and found relief almost immediately. I had taken many things for cough and hoarseness, but never got anything to help me as it has done. I believe it to be the best antidote for coughs and hoarseness that is out, and cheerfully recommend it to the public. THOS. H. STOCKTON.

Pastor 1st Prot. Meth. Church.

From Judge Vanhorn, of the District Court at Cincinnatia.

Cincinnati, May 4, 1856.—I have used Bowman's Vegetable Compound for bronchitis and cough, and believe it to be the best medicine out for those diseases, and the only one I ever got to give me any permanent relief. It will cure. I recommend it to the public as an honest and efficient medicine, and will perform what it is published to do. W. VANHORN.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I have used Bowman's Vegetable Compound in my family, for coughs, colds and Ministers' sore throat and believe it to be the best thing that I ever got for those complaints, and cheerfully recommend it to the public.

REV. J. GASTON.

Pastor of the Clinton st. M. E. Church,

June 10, 1855. Cincinnati.

Here is one from the old pioneer Methodist preacher of Ohio, Rev. J. B. Finley.

I believe Bowman's Vegetable Compound to be the best remedy for Diseased Throat and Lungs, of the day. I have tested it, and found it to be the best of all the popular remedies I ever tried, and I have tried very many. I recommend it to the public. Try it and you will be convinced of its superiority.

Cincinnati July 1856. Rev. J. B. FINLEY.

Hear what the celebrated Dr. Peck says:

New York, May 12, 1856.—I have used Bowman's Vegetable Compound for coughs and hoarseness in speaking; and believe it to be the best preparation for Throat and Lung complaints I ever got; and I recommend it to the public speaker and singer, as well as those afflicted with Lung diseases. J. T. PECK.

Hear what Dr. Benson, of Cincinnati, says:

[Extract from a letter]

"Bowman's Vegetable Compound contains a virtue which is not possessed by any other popular medicine in my knowledge. It does not only smoothe the disease over, giving it only temporary relief (like most of patent medicines,) but it commences at the root of the disease, and performs a perfect cure.

G. W. BENSON, M. D.

Our space will not permit us to publish any certificates in full, but we would refer to the following persons, whose letters are in our possession, certifying to its worth:

Rev. Bishop Morris,	Cincinnati,
Rev. Robert Walker,	"
Rev. Joel White,	Economy,
Rev. John Powell,	Portsmouth,
John L. M'Junkin,	Butler,
Henry L. Grifith, Esq.	Pittsburgh,
B. B. Baker,	Wheeling,
Capt. E. Gordon,	Pittsburgh,
John T. M'Combs,	"
Mrs. Mary Morrow,	N. Brighton,
Mrs. M. Evans,	"
Robert Greenlee,	Beaver,
Isaac Sutherland,	Vanport,
Mrs. S. A. Gettys,	Freedom,
Silas Roberts,	Meadville,
Henry Smith,	New Castle,
Mrs. Sarah Lowry,	Lawrence co.
Joseph P. Brown,	"
Martha A. Wilson,	New Castle,
Ex-Gov. W. F. Johnston,	Pittsburgh,
T. C. Cunningham,	Allegheny,
Isaac Whitesides,	"
D. Maratta,	Bridgewater,
Rev. Wm. Smith,	Louisville,
Judge Keys,	Cincinnati,
Capt. Geo. Kennedy,	Wellsville,
James Walkins,	Allegheny,
J. P. O'Neil,	Steubenville,
Rev. Henry Cline,	Venanco co.
Dr. James Parsons,	Louisville,
Rev. John Watkins,	Maysville,
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Rev. G Sechon,	Louisville.

Bowman's Vegetable Compound sold by Druggists at $1 per bottle, or 6 bottles for $5.

C. L. Keyser is our agent at Rochester, Beaver county, Pa. Retail merchants can be supplied at our wholesale prices, by C. L. Kaiser. Also H. T. & J. Reeves, New Brighton. Direct all orders for medicine to D. H. M. Bowman & Co., New Castle, Lawrence county, Pa., sole Proprietors. Agents wanted in every village in the United States and Canadas. Apply by letter or otherwise to the proprietors.

Nov. 19, 1856.

Christmas Gifts.

A picture of a loved face is generally the most appropriate and acceptable memento that can be passed from friend to friend.

AMBROTYPES

with backgrounds to suit the fancy of her customers, and neatly put up in cases to suit their various tastes may be had at R. WEAVER'S Daguerrean Gallery, New Brighton. She has on hand an assortment of beautiful Union Cases which she will sell with pictures at reduced prices. dec 17 1856

Merchant's Hotel.

CORNER SECOND AND SMITHFIELD STREET,

PITTSBURGH, PENN'A.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform this community, that he has recently fitted out this House in the most modern and approved style, and earnestly asks for a share of your patronage. Charges moderate.

JAMES C. M'KEE.

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BONNETS & RIBBONS.—We are receiving fresh supplies every week throughout the season, of the most fashionable styles.

June 4. T. M. TAYLOR.

FRENCH Moroccoheel Boots for Ladies, the most fashionable style, at the Shoe store of BARNES & NICHOLSON,

de10 Stewart's Row, Bridgewater.

MAP OF
Beaver and Lawrence Counties,

FROM ACTUAL MEASUREMENT,

And Surveys throughout the County

MADE BY NATHANIEL S. AMES.

The undersigned will publish shortly, provided a sufficient number of subscribers be obtained, a

NEW AND COMPLETE MAP OF BEAVER & LAWRENCE COUNTIES.

All the public Roads, Railroads, Crossings and Stations Churches, Post Offices, School Houses, Stores, Mills Public and Private Houses, Cemeteries, Manufactories, Shops, &c., &c., are to be shown on the Map, in addition to the usual topography of Rivers, Streams, Ponds and Mountains. The names of property holders generally, (including those in the county who subscribe in advance for the Map) are also to be inserted at their respective places, in the style of the Maps exhibited by the canvassers.

Maps of the principal villages will be inserted, on a large scale, in the margin; also engraved views of public and private buildings.

No expense will be spared to execute the Map in the highest style of art. The plan will be plotted on a suitable scale, so as to show distinctly all the particulars above specified, and make a large and ornamental Map. To be engraved and delivered to subscribers, handsomely colored, so as to show the territory comprised in each township, and mounted on rollers. The Map will contain some 14 or 16 square feet.—*The Maps are sold only by Subscription and at only one price.*

No more Maps issued than subscribed for.—The Map will contain tables of the population, productions, assessed value of property, religious societies, schools, number of voters, &c., of each township and village respectively, carefully made up from the latest authentic documents.

WILLIAM J. BARKER, Publisher.

Dec. 12, 1855.

A NEW STOCK OF
Fall and Winter Goods

JUST received at the corner of Market and Bridge streets, Bridgewater, Pa. I have just received and am now opening a very desirable stock of goods suitable for the present and coming season, to which I invite the attention of my old customers and the public in general to an examination, as I feel confident it will compare in quality and price to any other house in this vicinity.

DRESS GOODS & TRIMMINGS.

I would especially invite the ladies to call and examine my stock of silk, French merinoes, all wool delaines, cashmeres, coburgs, poplins, Persian cloths, Persian twills, ginghams, chambros, paper cambrics, cambric, jaconet, swiss and mull muslins, shawls, dress trimmings, lace fringes, bonnet ribbon, sleeves, collars, waist bands, hose &c. Also a large assortment of men and boys wear, consisting of black and colored French cloths, doe skins, fancy, cassimeres, tweeds, cords, jeans, satin and fancy vestings, nett shirts and drawers, silk cravats, handkerchiefs, stocks, suspenders, comforts &c.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

Colored, white and barred flannel, canton flannels, linseys, brown and bleached muslins, shirting checks, drilling, nankeens, tickings &c. Boots and shoes for men, boys, ladies and children, for durability and neatness cannot be surpassed. Also a large assortment of soft hats, cloth, plush and oil silk caps. Hardware, queensware, glass, nails and groceries, all of which will be sold low for cash or produce.

Oct. 15, 1856. THOMAS ALLISON.

Just Received at the
New Drug and
CHEMICAL STORE.

Oat Meal, Pearl Barley, Pearl Sago, Tapioca, Arrow Root, Lac Sulphur. Ground Ginger, Cinnamon, Mustard, Cloves, Cayenne Pepper, extracts for cooking &c. Lemon, Strawberry, Raspberry, Nutmeg, Vanilla, Pine Apple &c.

Alum, Copperas, Indigo, Oxalic Acid, white and common Glue, Madder, Extract Logwood, ground do. Camwood, burnt Umber, Vermillion, Chromic Green, Yellow do. Yellow Ochre, Venetian Red. Spanish Brown, Vandyke Brown, Starch, Rosin, Chalk, Putty, Oils, Glass Turpentine, Varnish, Carpenters Cough Syrup of Hoarhound, Carrigreen, and Slippery Elm.

Sellers Cough Syrup, McLane's Vermifuge, Carpenters do. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Ayer's Pills, Davis' Pain Killer, Dalley's Pain Extractor, Holland Bitters, Terrell's Tetter Ointment, Tooth Paste and Powder, Clothes Brushes, Hair Brushes, Tooth Brushes, White Wash do. Trusses, Fancy Soap, Glaziers Tacks, Perfumery generally, Vials, Bottles by the gross or otherwise, Paint and Varnish Brushes, Nursing Bottles, Brandy and Wine for Medicinal purposes. O. CUNNINGHAM.

Oct. 22, 1856

Beaver Drug and
DRY GOODS STORE.

THE subscribers would inform the citizens of Beaver and vicinity, that they are now opening a first class

Drug and Dry Good Store,

on the corner of Third and Elk streets, where they intend keeping a full assortment of the best, medicines, oils, paints, dye stuffs. &c., together with a full assortment of Dry Goods, Ladies dress goods, consisting of Challais, delaines, bareges, lawns, tissues, in short, all the new styles and novelties of the season. Also, shawls and mantillas of all styles and prices.

NEEDLE WORK.

Our stock of collars, flounces, sleeves &c., is not surpassed in Beaver or in the surrounding villages.

DOMESTIC

Prints, muslins, checks, gingbams, tickings, casinetts, Kentucky jeans, cotton and linen pant stuffs, also, gloves, hosiery, ribbons and every other article usually kept in a first class Dry Goods Store, to which we solicit a call and examination before purchasing elsewhere; as we feel confident there has never been a more desirable stock of goods brought to this market.

We have also a full assortment of Bonnets and Bonnet trimmings, Ladies and Misses shoes, boots and gaiters, also groceries, hardware, queensware, boots and shoes, which we will offer cheap for cash or country produce.

YOUNG & THOMAS.

April 23, 1866.

Every day Brings something New

I. N. Atkins has just received from Philadelphia a large stock of the

Fall and Winter style of silk, Felt and Soft Hats

Of all kinds and prices.

Also on hands and manufacturing a heavy stock of fur & wool hats, which he will sell very cheap.

Lambs wool and all kinds of furs taken in exchange for hats at the highest prices.

Come, all who want good, serviceable, and fashionable hats and caps, and be supplied.

Remember the sign of the BIG HAT.

Beaver, Nov. 19, 1856.

A. A. CARRIER. S. S. CARRIER.

A. A. CARRIER & BRO.,

Corner 4th & Smithfield Sts., Pitts. Pa

Agents State Mutual Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of Harrisburg. Capital	$350,000
Girard Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Philadelphia. Capital	300,000
Insurance com. of the Valley of Va., Winchester, Va. Capital.	300,000
Office Penn'a Insurance Com. of Pittsburgh. Authorised Capital,	300,000

A. A. CARRIER, Secretary.

CHARLES COALE, of New Brighton, is authorized to take risks in the above companies at very fair rates. Feb. 20, 1856.

GLOVE leather patent tip Boots for Ladies at the Shoe store of BARNES & NICHOLSON,

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